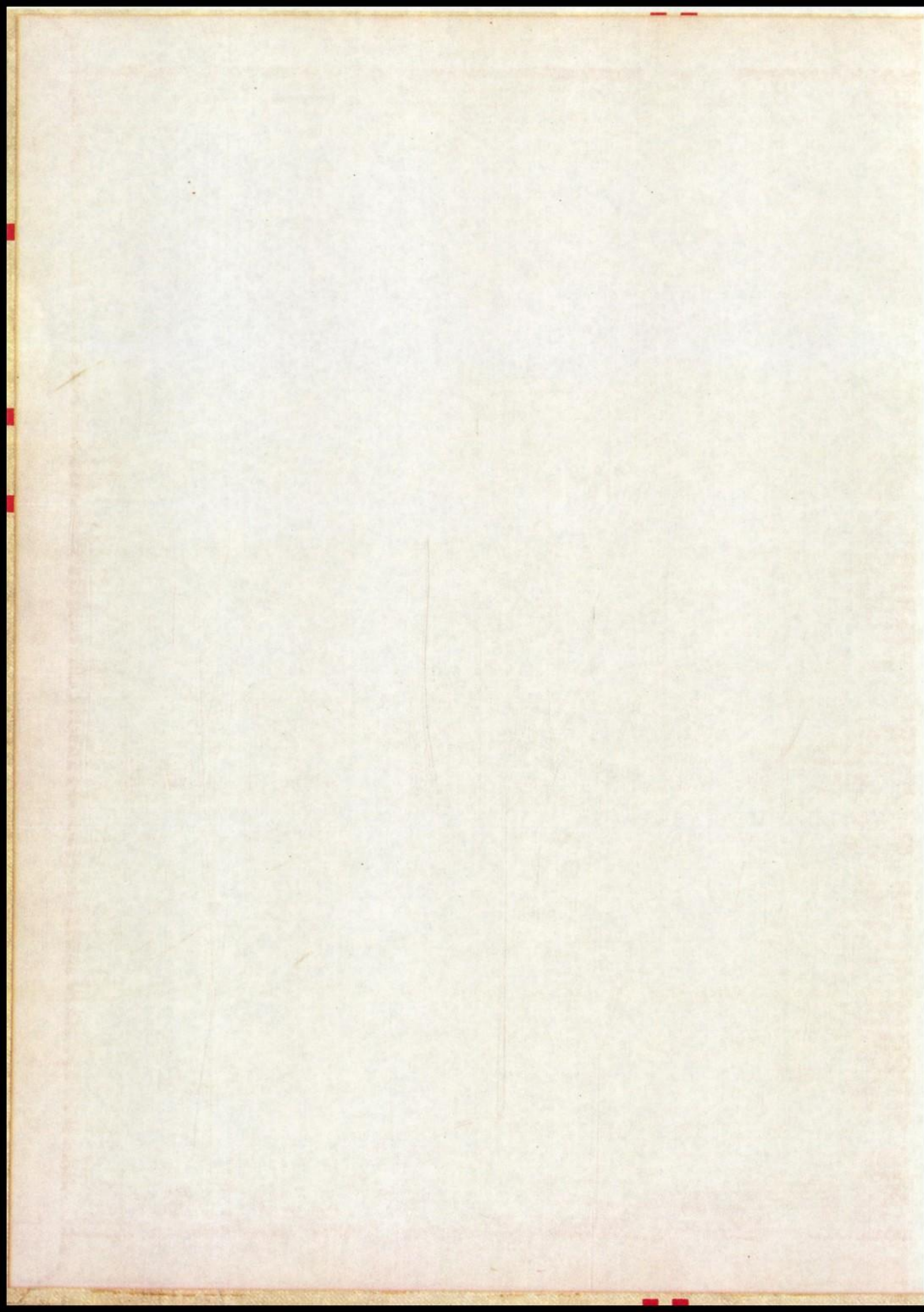


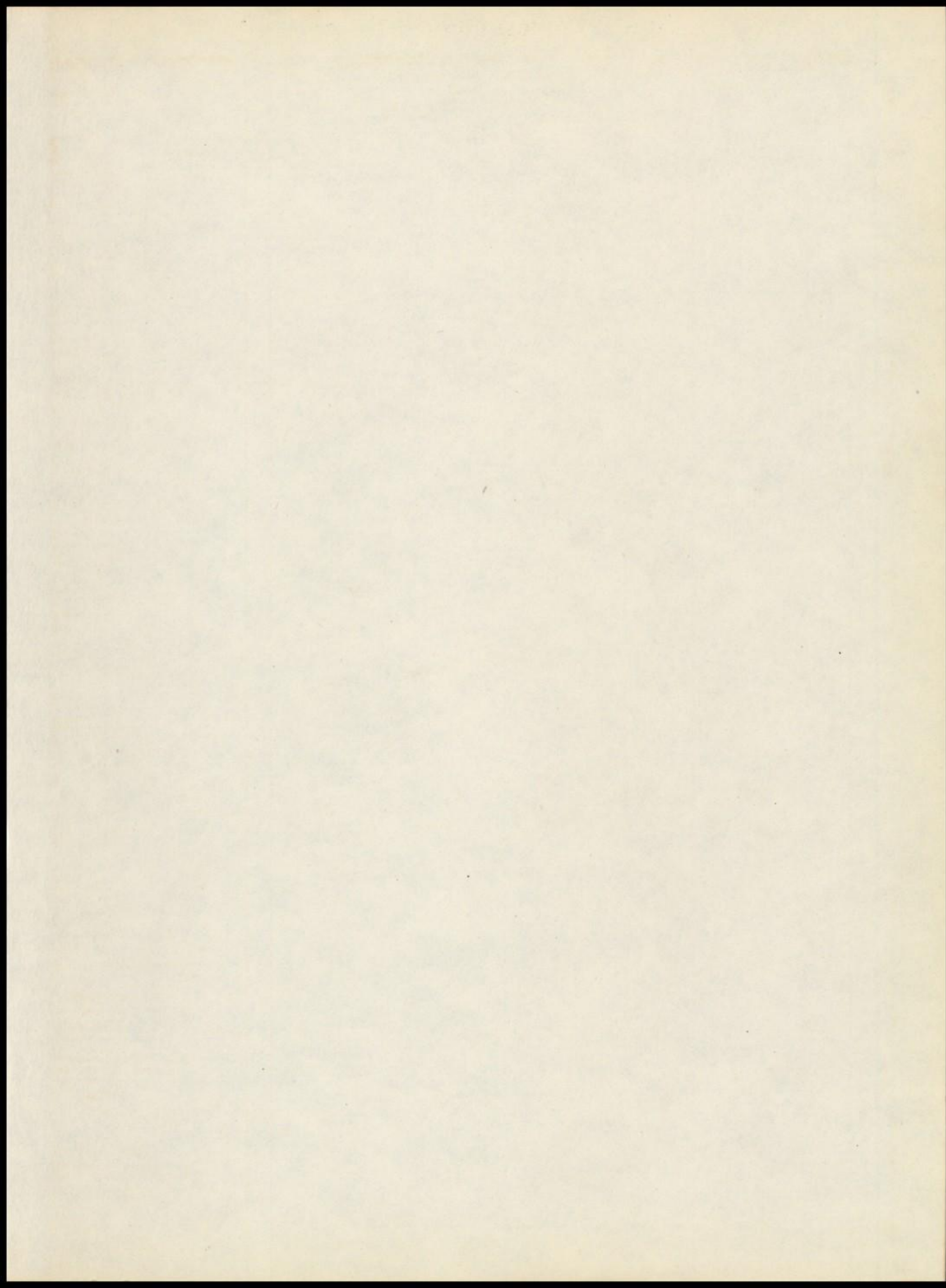
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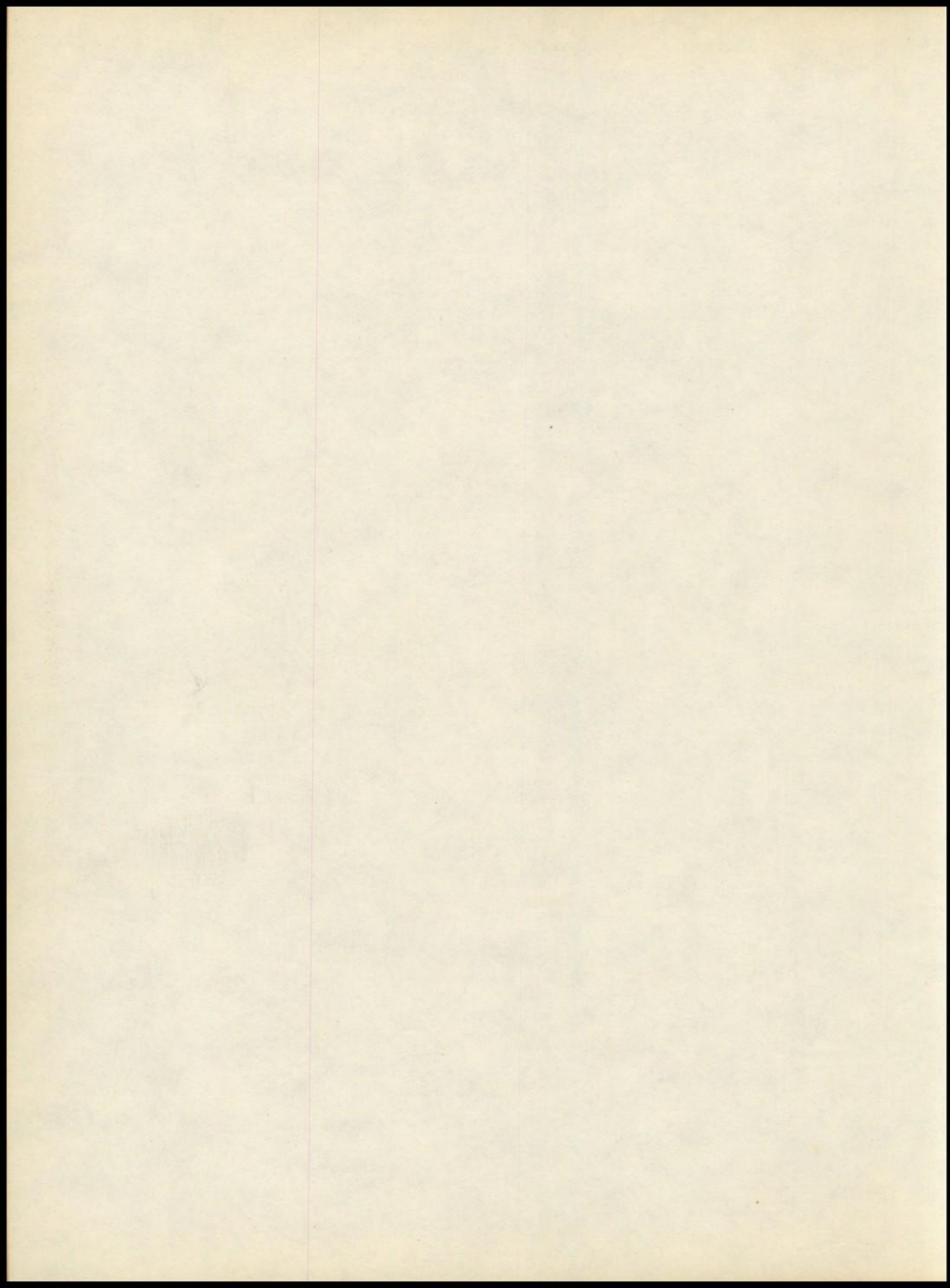














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Dear Mrs. Ter Avest:

There have been very few students here at dear old Ripon High that haven't had the privilege of taking a class from you. All of us who did take your classes will agree that we certainly have received much valuable knowledge.

We, the Seniors, are especially indebted to you. Your unselfish devotion of a school teacher's most valuable possession, time, and your expert guidance has helped the class of '59 attain the goals it has set for itself.

There is another class to replace this year's Seniors, but your absence will leave an empty place in the hearts of the students next year.

We wish you all the happiness and good fortune in the years to come. May this Mission help portray our love and devotion to you.

The Class of 1959



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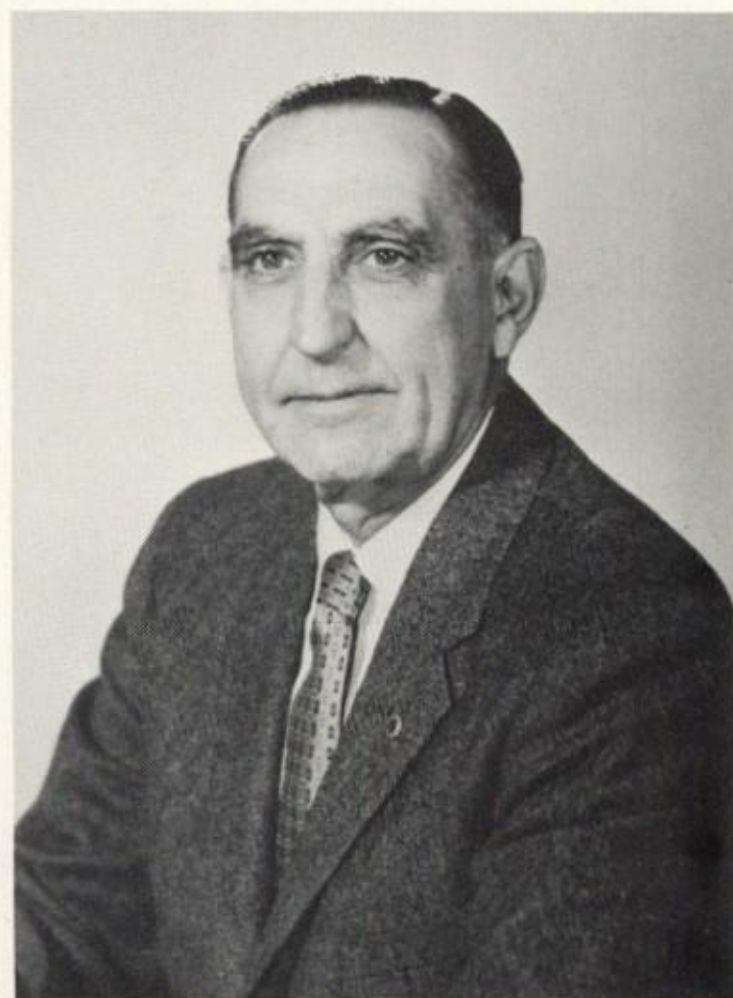


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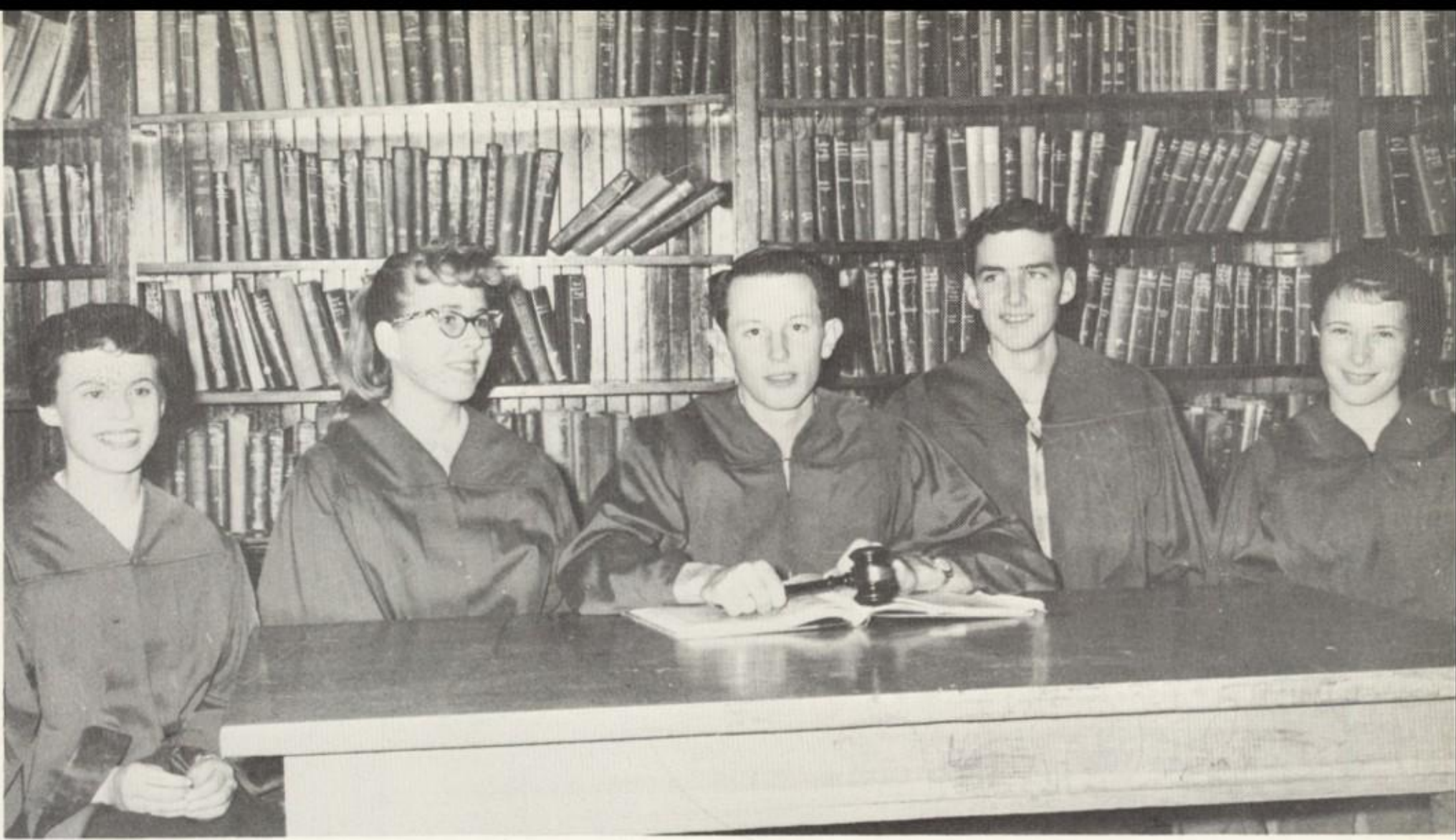
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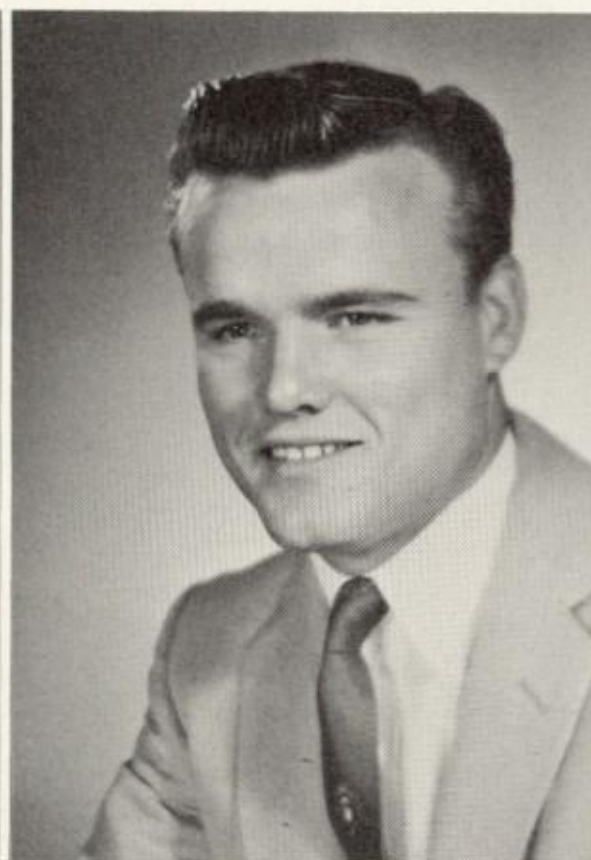
RICHARD ALLEMAN  
 "He was like a cock  
 who thought the sun  
 had risen to hear him  
 crow."



JEANETTE BIANCHI  
 "Golden opinions from  
 all sorts of people."



NANCY BIANCHI  
 "She moves like a  
 goddess and looks  
 like a queen."



DONALD DIGGS  
 "Only the game fish  
 swim upstream but  
 the sensible fish swim  
 downstream."



HERMAN BARON  
 "To love oneself is  
 the beginning of a  
 good romance."



JUDI DeBOER  
 "She's the loveliest  
 lassie that trips on  
 the green."

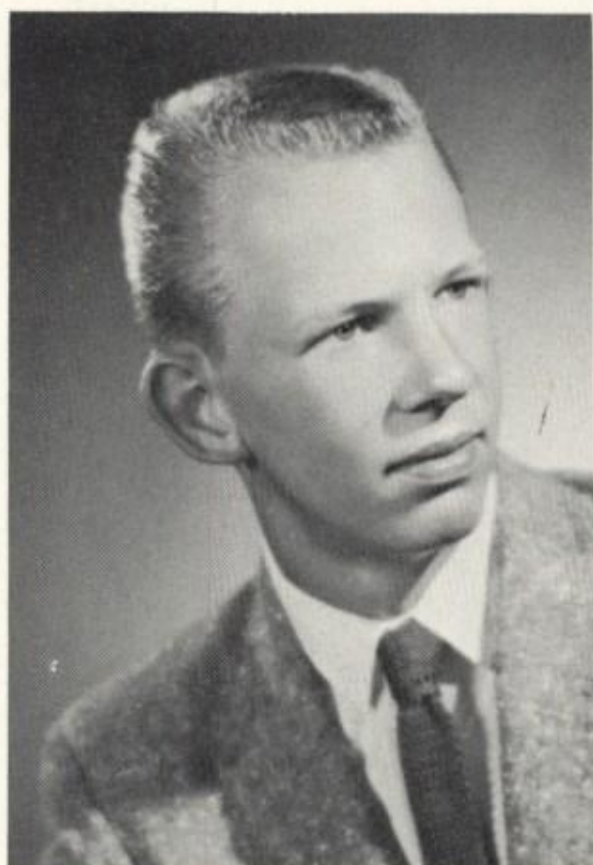




RONALD MacLELLAN  
 "There's a divinity  
 that shapes our  
 ends, Rough hew  
 them how we will."



LORETTA BRINK  
 "A thing of beauty  
 is a joy forever."



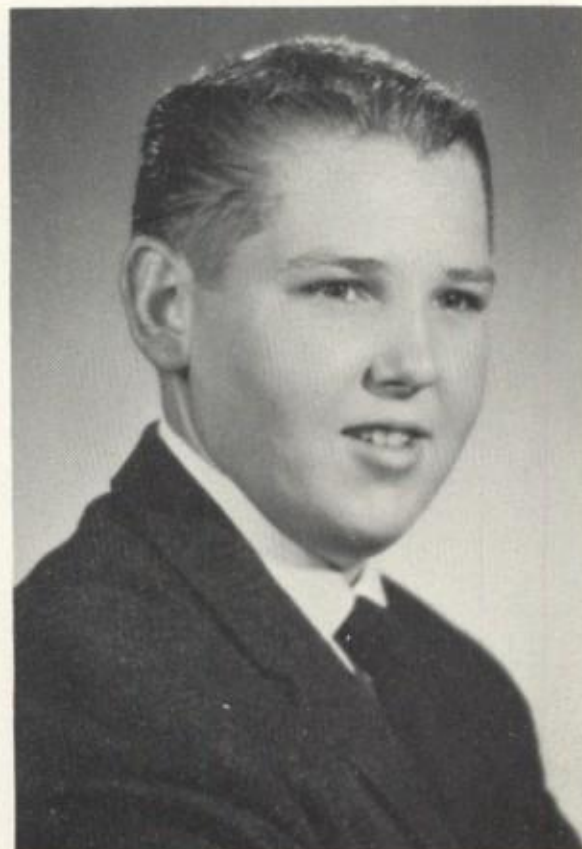
GARY CARLSON  
 "Be silent and safe  
 -silence never be-  
 trays you."



JUDY ARGANBRIGHT  
 "There's language  
 in her eye, her  
 cheek, her lip."



DOLORES DENISON  
 "The wonder was,  
 and still the wonder  
 grew, That one small  
 head could carry all  
 she knew."



RONALD PARSONS  
 "I bear a charmed  
 life."





BUD SINARLE  
 "A town that boasts  
 inhabitants like me  
 can have no lack of  
 good company."



LINDA TEMM  
 "Nothing is so firmly  
 believed as what we  
 least know."

MARY LOU KUIL  
 "Blushing is the  
 color of virtue."



JIM DeSELLE  
 "I can be pushed just  
 so far."



CARMEN BURSE  
 "I speak truth, not  
 as much as I would  
 but as much as I  
 dare."

TED BEACOM  
 "If music be the  
 food of love, play  
 on."







ROBERT DYER  
"Fame is a food  
that deadmen eat."

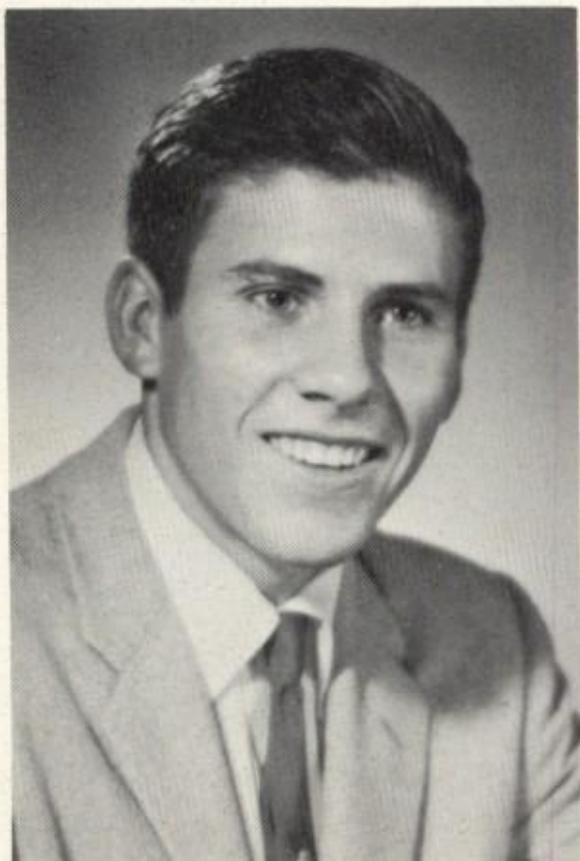


ROSEMARY VIEIRA  
"Women are door-  
mats and have been  
for years."

JOHANNE  
RASMUSSEN  
"Experience is the  
name everyone  
gives his mistakes."



ARTHUR CLEMENS  
"On wings of deeds  
the soul must mount."



GARY VISS  
"I have never sought  
the world, nor the  
world me."



CARRON WEVER  
"Your goal the sky,  
your aim the stars."





GILBERT SIGGINS  
 "Oh, it's nice to get  
 up in the morning  
 but it's nicer to lie  
 in bed."



KATHLEEN ROSE  
 "A lifetime of  
 happiness."



CAROLYN SPURGEON  
 "They profit most  
 who serve best."



ROY ROBNETT  
 "The female of the  
 species is more  
 deadly than the  
 male."



DON HALL  
 "Nothing succeeds  
 like success."



SHIRLEY LAGIER  
 "As if you could  
 kill time without  
 injuring eternity."





KENNITH DOOM  
"The proper study of  
mankind is man."



KATHLEEN NUNES  
"Hold the fort, I'm  
coming. "



DOROTHY  
BUMGARNER  
"Everything happens  
to everyone sooner  
or later if there's  
time enough. "



ROBERT KEYES  
"I'm for drinking  
honestly and dying  
in my boots. "

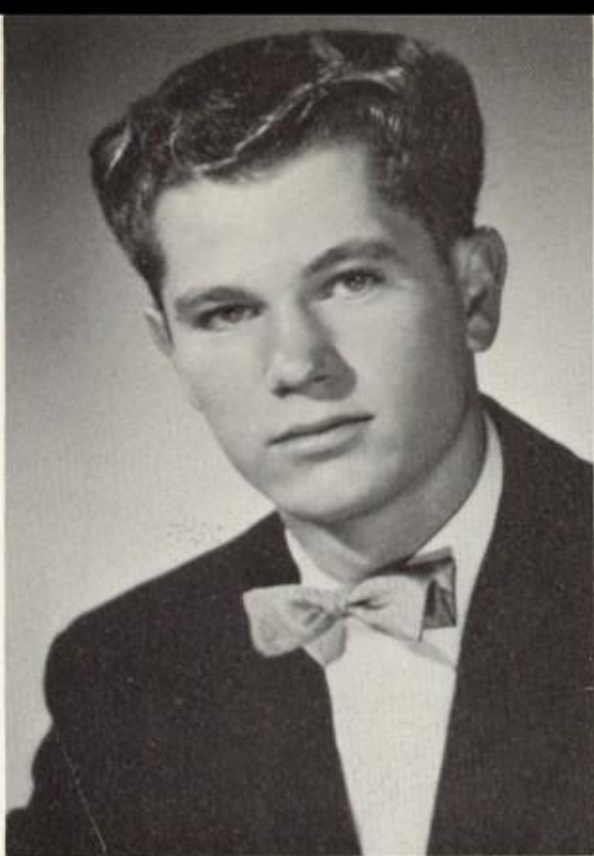


JOHN LOVE  
"An expert is one  
who knows more and  
more about less and  
less. "



GERRY HERGENROEDER  
"Joy is a partnership. "



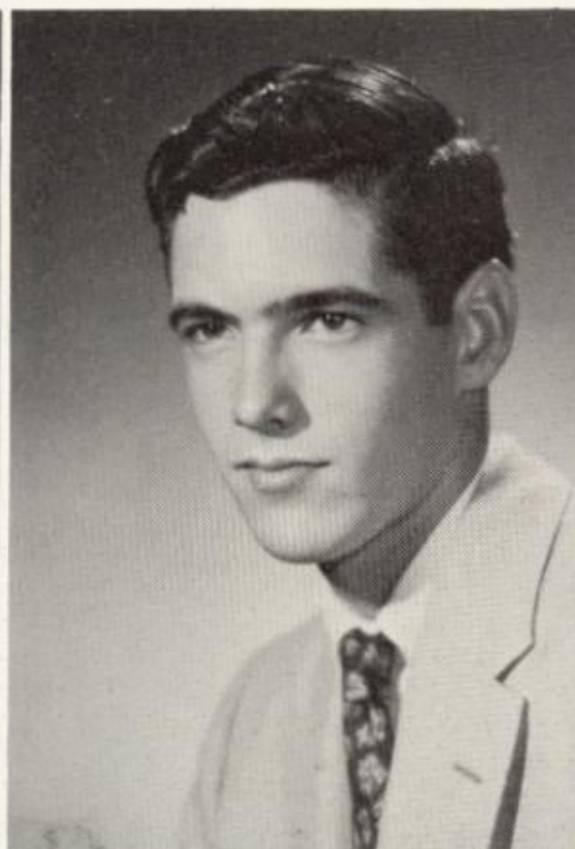


LARRY MOHLER  
 "There is only one  
 way to achieve  
 happiness on this  
 terrestrial ball. That  
 is to have a clear con-  
 science or none at  
 all."



WILMA  
 SCHEIDEGGER  
 "She does little  
 kindnesses which  
 others leave undone  
 or despise."

JEAN JORGENSEN  
 "I have a smile  
 for every girl and  
 two for every boy."



BILL PALMAYMESA  
 "I've taken my fee  
 where I've found it."



TOM CHRISTENSEN  
 "No better than I  
 should be."

MYRNA FREDRIKS  
 "The days that  
 make us happy  
 make us wise."







LEONARD VON  
GUNTEN  
"Worth makes the  
man, the want of it  
the fellow."



KARIN POSTMA  
"We must take the  
current when it  
serves or lose our  
venture."

MARGARET REA  
"I agree with mans  
opinion. I have a  
few of my own."



CAROLYN WHITE  
"The best way out is  
always through."



BOB VISS  
"They fail and they  
alone who have not  
striven."

ALICE TEDERMAN  
"Gladly would she  
learn and gladly  
teach."







JOHN THOMA  
"A mind at peace  
with all below."



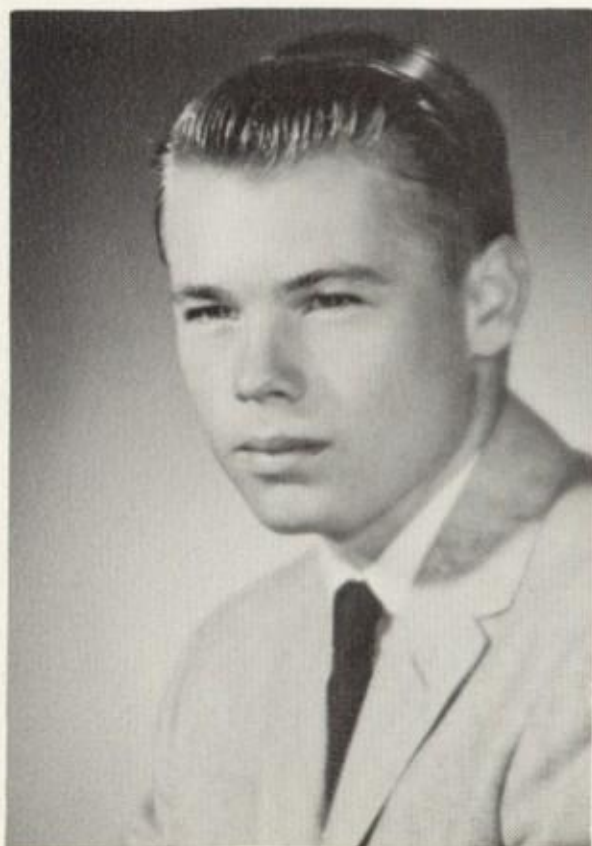
EDNA HARDEN  
"Of all the better  
things upon earth, I  
hold that a faithful  
friend is the best."



JO ANN JENNINGS  
"Friends I have both  
young and old."



KENNETH VRIELING  
"It is far safer to  
know too little than  
to know too much."



DICK HAGEMAN  
"Surely the ups and  
downs of this world are  
past calculation."



JUDY GRUBER  
"As pure in thought  
as angels are: To  
know her is to love  
her."





HENRY CHURCH JR.  
"A gentleman to  
match the best of  
any pedigree."



MARLENE POLETTI  
"The glass of  
fashion and the mold  
of form. The  
observed of all  
observers."



MARLON HELTON  
"The reward of a  
thing well done is  
to have done it."



DOROTHY GOMES  
"Genius does what  
it must, and talent  
does what it can."



ROSEMARY MORRIS  
"Lo, this is she that  
was the world's de-  
light."

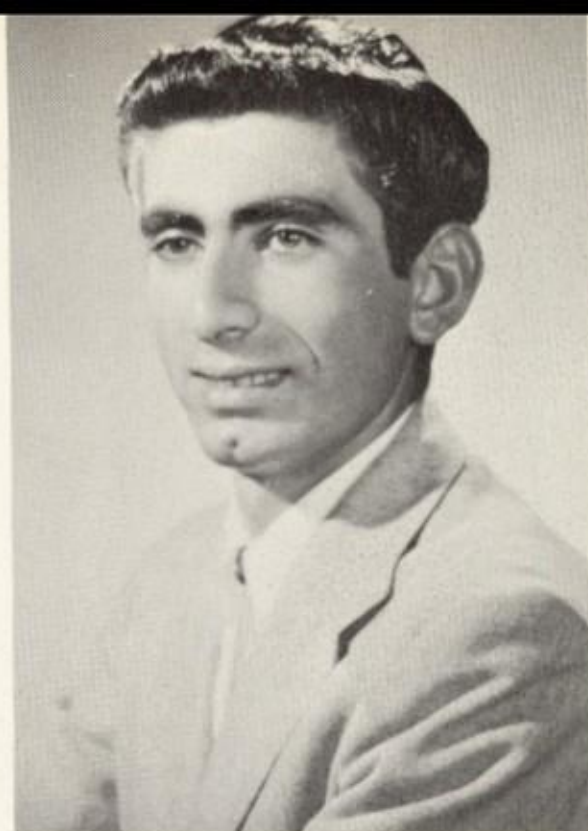


WALTER BETSCHART  
"Here is a dear and  
true industrious  
friend."





GARY FRANSCELLA  
"Brevity is the soul  
of wit."



STEVE COUTRAKIS  
"Diligence is the  
mother of good for-  
tune."



BILL ROBBINS  
"Accurasy is our  
watchword. We  
never make mis-  
teaks."



CHARLES BROOKS  
"We know what we  
are, but know not  
what we may be."

DON MILLER  
Transferred Senior  
year  
"You are your own  
teacher--be proud of  
your pupil."



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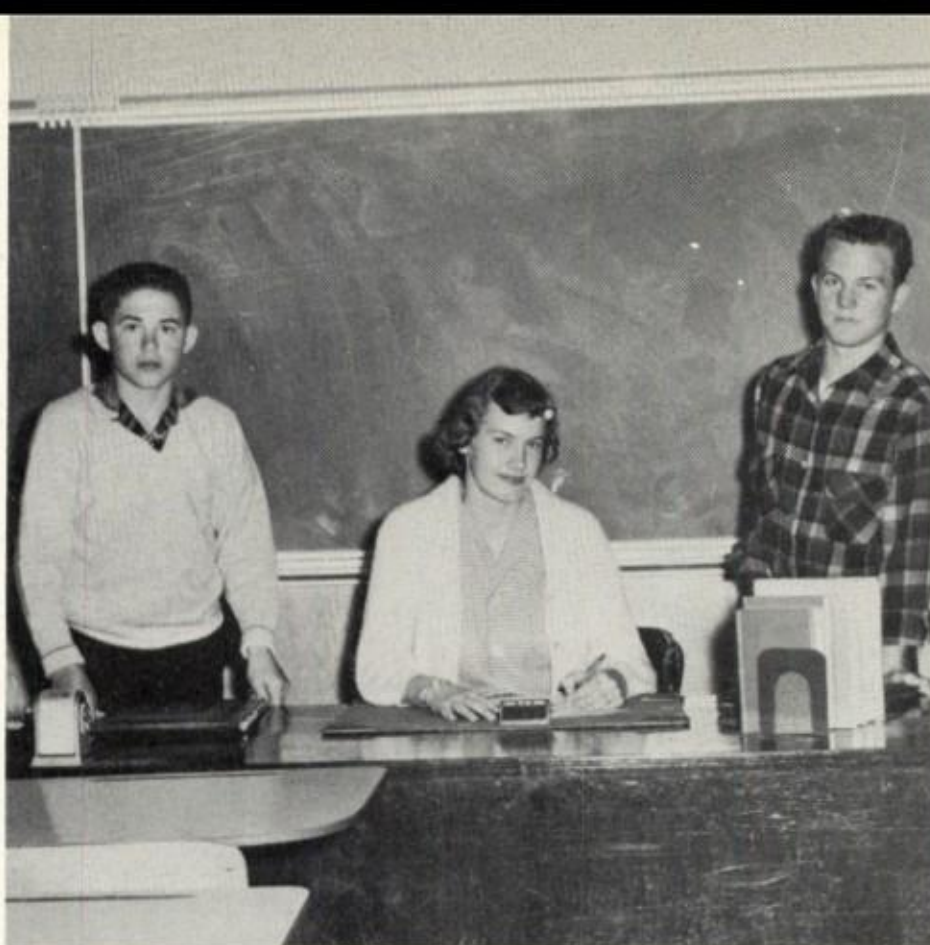


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The Warwhoop was reorganized this year. Each member of the Journalism Class participated as Editor-in-Chief. This gave all the students a first-hand experience in handling all phases of the publication of the paper.

This year's Warwhoop also introduced some new features. These were "The Shadow," "Hall's Crystal Ball" and the "Irate Rooter." The Shadow was written by various members to the staff, Doug Hall wrote the Crystal Ball and Ted Beacom was responsible for the controversial Irate Rooter.

All in all, this year's Warwhoop enjoyed a very successful year.

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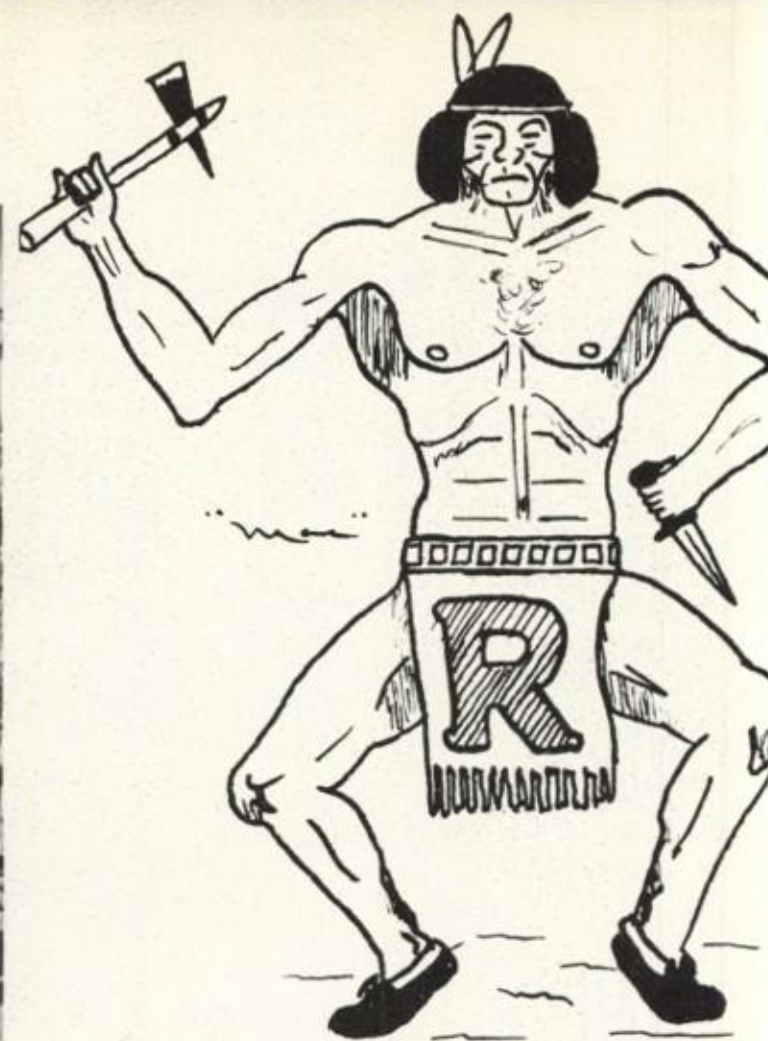
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FIRST ROW: Duane Thompson, David Johnston, Jerry Williams, Ronny Tornell, Pete Mills, John Love. SECOND ROW: Kathleen Nunes, Evelyn Sousa, Gloria Franscella, Margaret Rea, Annette Slikker, Joanne Simas, Loraine Todd, Anita Bianchi, Nancy Gates, Mr. Martinez. THIRD ROW: Shirley Rose, Richard Denison, Lynn Camoirano, Sandy Stahlberg, Norma James, Donna Zwart, Jamalee Kunn, Barbara White, Linda Eggink. TOP ROW: Carol Harp, Ted Beacom, Roy Busch, Robert Dilley, Doug Hall, Dolores Westeyn.







## Debate

FRONT ROW: Ronnie Allen, Colin Crisler, Richard Allen, Charles Fisher, Mike Pemberton, David Johnston, Doug Hall. SECOND ROW: Evelyn Souza, Cordelia Macahilas, Dolores Denison, Ronnie Tornell, Sally Tornell, Jim Witty, Loraine Todd, Anita Bianchi, Betty Slikker, Sharon Myer, Suzanne Brown, Nancy Bianchi, Pete Dedini, Lois Hamilton, Mr. Poletti. THIRD ROW: Annette Slikker, Joanne Simas, Shirley Rose, Claudia Nicolaysen, Alice Vander Laan, Mary Franzia, Linda Eggink, Barbara White, Shirley Lagier, Clarence Dickerson, David Prater, Dale Paxman. FOURTH ROW: David Valadez, Richard Denison, Marlene Poletti, Carol Harp, Lynn Camoirano, Jamalee Dunn, Perry Pucheu, Garry Thoms, Billy Van Assen.

## C.S.F.

FRONT ROW: Dave Johnston, John Love, Ted Beacom, Richard Denison, Gary Thomas, Robert Dilley, Charles Fisher, Jim Benn. SECOND ROW: Pete Dedini, Carron Wever, Margaret Rea, Nancy Bianchi, Kathleen Nunes, Dolores Denison, Judy Arganbright, Denise Pucheu, Nancy Gates, Loraine Todd, Betty Slikker, Joyce Mattos, Michele Garino, Lucy Gavino, Carol Johnston, Sharon McBrian, Alice Hageman, Mr. Scherer. THIRD ROW: Pete Mills, Dale Paxman, Annette Slikker, Joanne Simas, Shirley Rose, Claudia Nicolaysen, Jean Jorgensen, Ron Allen, Doug Hall, Norma Franzia, Johanne Rasmussen, Marlene Poletti, Carol Harp, Lynn Camoirano, Mary Franzia, Joyce Miller, Sandy Stahlberg, Linda Eggink, Barbara White, Irene Freitas, Elizabeth Eastburg, Linda Kiono, Carolyn Thoma, Loretta Brink, Carolyn White, Paulette Ter Avest, Sharon McFall. NOT PICTURED: Henry Church.







FRONT ROW: Margaret Rea, Carolyn White. SECOND ROW: Mr. Delamarter, Jerry Williams, Don Miller, James Benn, Donna Douma, Cathy Christensen, Barry Wever, Daryll Vincelet, Cordelia Macahilas, Eileen Douma. THIRD ROW: Barbara White, Carron Wever, Kathleen Nunes, Pete Mills, Art Clemens, Bob Arganbright, Ed Phippen, Jay Hoff, Tom Tornell, Randy Sikkema, John Love, Jim Weatherford.

## *Drum Major*

Henry Church



## *Majorettes*

Nancy Bianchi, Alice Vander Laan, Carolyn White, Margaret Rea.







FRONT ROW: Alice Vander Laan, Nancy Bianchi. SECOND ROW: Robert Dilley, Annette Slikker, Carol Holmquist, Claudia Wallstrom, Sandi Stahlberg, Marlys Vanden Heuvel, Eileen Demichelis, Luci Gavino. THIRD ROW: Charles Smith, Joanne Simas, Brenda Lindsey, Hendrina Schilder, Shirley Fredriks, Lucille Myers, Sharon McBrian. FOURTH ROW: Dave Valadez, Sharon McFall, Linda Eggink, Betty Slikker, Mary Franzia, Sharon Cline, Lois Eckhoff, Sally Tornell. TOP ROW: Carolyn Scott, Johanne Rasmussen, Norma Franzia, Joyce Mattos, Bruce Alleman, Rich Allen, Louise Rasmussen, Judy Arganbright.

FRONT ROW: S. Franscella, S. Newell, G. Franscella, B. Nunes, C. Hay, J. Silva, J. Mattos, P. Barosso, M. Vanden Huevel, E. Carey, T. Barosso, S. Solorio, A. Azevedo, P. Robnett. SECOND ROW: C. Nottley, S. Gomes, M. Dyer, J. Gruber, M. Fry, V. Zwart, D. Weidert, L. Brink, M. Fredriks, L. Kiono, H. Van Dykhuizen, S. Siggins, C. Silva, Mr. Delamarter. THIRD ROW: I. Torres, R. Morris, K. Rose, D. Gomes, J. Jorgensen, J. Arganbright, E. Eastburg, R. Laan, L. Vander Camp, A. Nunes, N. James, G. Hergenroeder, D. McGee, N. James, F. Franscella, H. Wadley, L. Hamilton, D. Pucheu. FOURTH ROW: E. Pemberton, L. Blakesley, S. Franscella, M. Garino, M. Baron, G. Weiker, L. Mohler, J. Sand, R. Burton, D. Hall, M. Poletti, D. Contrakis, J. Bianchi, M. Gates, J. Siggins, L. Hoffman. TOP ROW: L. Todd, B. Arganbright, D. Mohler, B. Palma y Mesa, G. Carlson, B. Olmo, R. Colbert, T. Beacom, R. Dilley, E. Harden, D. Brown, K. Postma, D. Baron.







## ***Junior Band***

FRONT ROW: Larry Vander Camp, Gary Greer. SECOND ROW: Janet Tramel, Mary Ann Von Gunten, Sandra Langum, Donna Chase, Paulette Ter Avest. TOP ROW: Mr. Delamarter, Bill Slikker, Lonnie Loop, Kenny Carlson, Janet Winters.

## ***Indianettes***

FRONT ROW: Norma Franzia, Judy Arganbright, Gerry Hergenroeder, Linda Eggink, Cathy Christensen. SECOND ROW: Carol Harp, Marlene Poletti, Loretta Brink, Paulette Ter Avest.



## ***Barber Boys***

LEFT TO RIGHT: Larry Mohler, Danny Mohler, Rich Colbert, Bob Arganbright, Henry Church, Doug Hall, Ted Beacom, Bill Palma y Mesa. NOT PICTURED: Robert Dilley.





# Activities





# Homecoming



Last year's Queen, Miss Joan Eckhoff, crowns Nancy Bianchi as the Grand Marshal, John Simas, presents Her Majesty with a bouquet. The queen is attended by Loretta Brink and on the right, Kathleen Nunes.



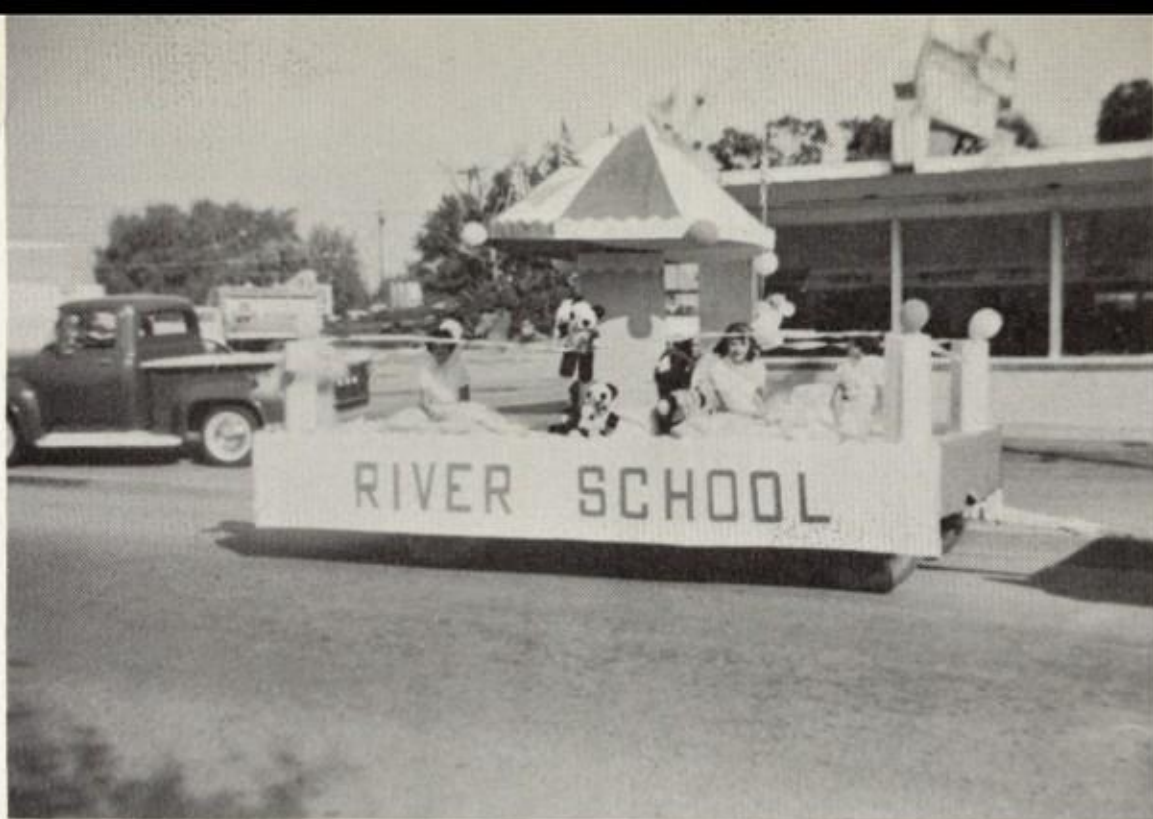
John congratulates the Queen. The lucky guy!

## J. V. QUEEN CANDIDATES

LEFT TO RIGHT: Lois Eckhoff, Attendant; Beverly Bianchi, Queen, Bernadine Woudstra, Attendant.

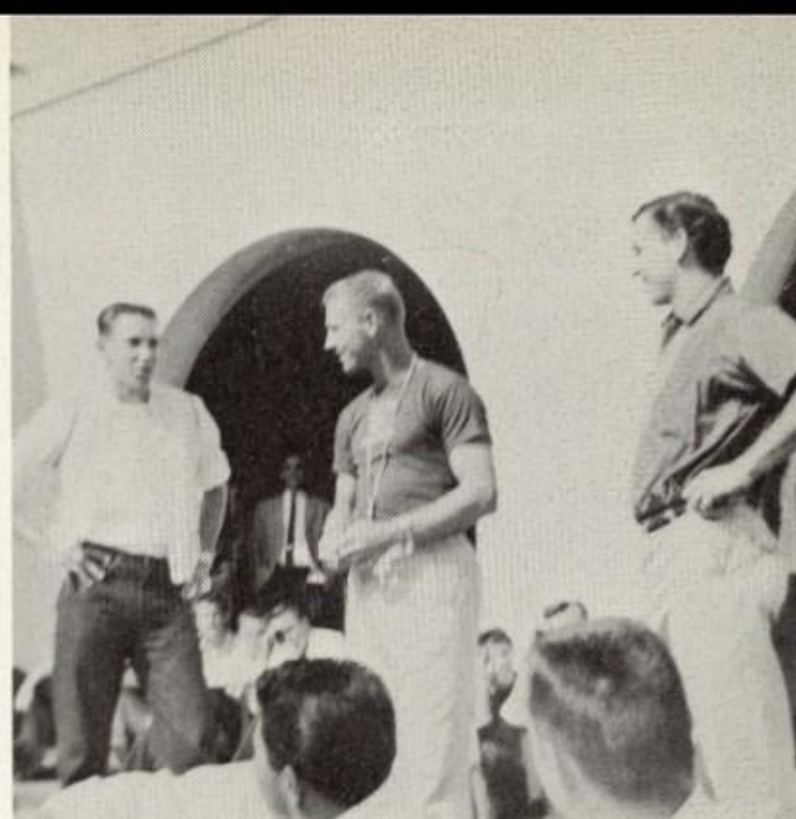






#### RIVER SCHOOL ENTRY

First place winner in both its division and Sweepstakes Division.



Coach announces Co-Captains for the game. They are Doug Hall, and Bud Sinarle.



#### CLASS OF '61 WINS AGAIN!

First place in the High School Class.



The World's Smallest Fat Lady!

#### FRESHMAN CLASS ENTRY

Second place in the High School Class.



Sweetheart of the Parade.







1959 KING AND QUEEN

The Junior Class candidates, Doug Hall and Joanne Simas.







Going...



Going...

# THOUGHTS ON TEARING DOWN THIS BUILDING

Good-bye to the old building;  
 It is so sad;  
 Good-bye to the old building;  
 We should be glad.  
 Good-bye to the old building  
 That both joy and sadness did see;  
 Good-bye to the old building;  
 There's to be a new one for you and for me.  
 Good-bye to the old building;  
 That so faithfully has stood,  
 Good-bye to the old building;  
 That no longer is good.  
 Good-bye to the old building  
 That was so faithful and true;  
 Good-bye to the old building;  
 It was a place of learning for me and you.  
 Good-bye to the old building;  
 History, Bookkeeping, and Typing too,  
 Good-bye to the old building;  
 Shorthand, Spanish and P.E., all classes for you.  
 Good-bye to the old building;  
 It served its purpose so good.  
 Good-bye to the old building;  
 For its brotherhood.  
 Good-bye to the old building;  
 And its memories so dear,  
 Good-bye to the old building;  
 The new one is here.  
 Good-bye to the old building  
 They are tearing it down,  
 "Good-bye to the old building!"  
 This cry is echoed through town.  
 Good-bye to the old building  
 Hello to the new,  
 Good-bye old building;  
 Hello the new.  
 Good-bye-----Hello!

By  
 Clarence Dickerson



Gone!





The new math and English rooms as seen from the pool area.



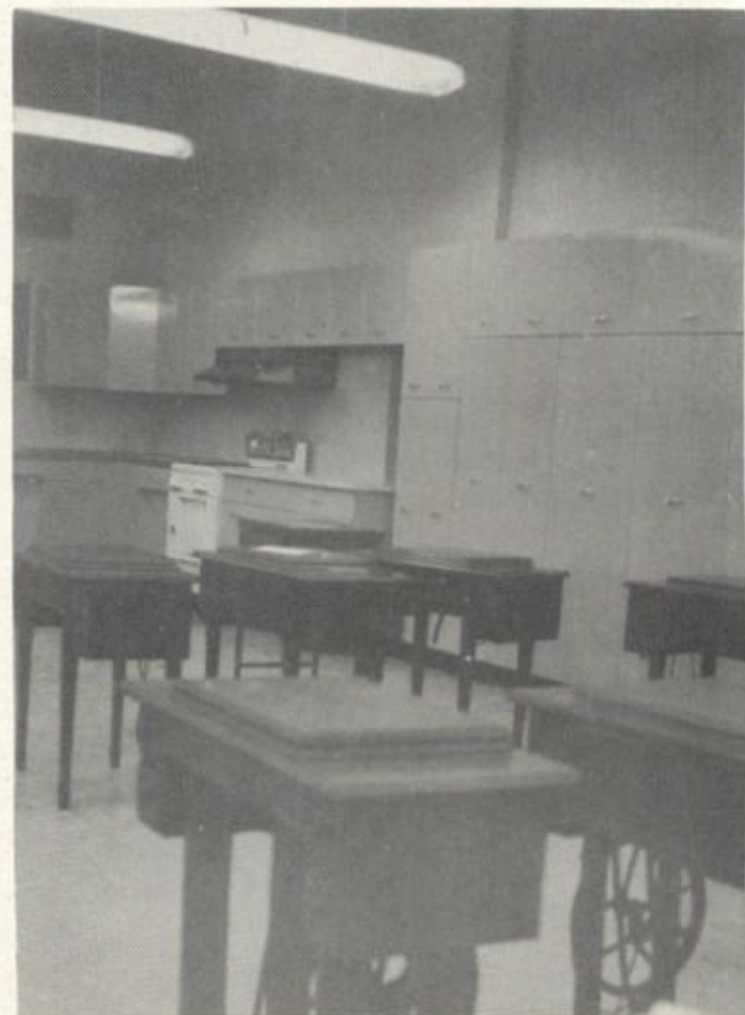
A teacher's eye view of the physics and chemistry room.

## ***New Buildings***

Another shot of the math room.



The new homemaking room caught at a rare moment. No one is cooking!





# Junior-Senior Prom

LEFT TO RIGHT: Dolores Denison, Perry Pucheu, Paulette Ter Avest, John Love, Duane Thompson, Evelyn Sousa.



Time out for some refreshment.



A slow waltz enjoyed by all.

LEFT TO RIGHT: Dolores Denison, Perry Pucheu, Joyce Miller, Ted Beacom, Doug Hall, Joanne Simas, Kathleen Nunes, Pete Dedini.

Our Chaperones

LEFT TO RIGHT: Mr. and Mrs. Alleman, Mrs. Kingery, Mr. Love, Mr. Ter Avest, Miss Rotta and her escort.







"All Aboard for the 6:45!"

# Ditch Day

Senior Ditch Day was so successful, the Seniors managed to ditch our photographer all day. Of course, our photographer was doing some ditching of his own!



Irresponsible Seniors trying to prove that they are awake for a change.

"But Mr. Stahlberg, I only brought 3 suitcases!"





# "She baked a pumpkin pie"



Dora applies for a job.



Nora tells of her qualifications.. as a cook.



## THE CAST

Dora - Anita Bianchi, Nora - Carol Harp, Bob - Ted Beacom, Aunt Em - Johanne Rasmussen, Grandma - Carol Holmquist, Modern Girl - Lynette Blakesley.

Bob helps Aunt Em cut the pumpkin as the cast looks on.



Evelyn Sousa  
Mistress of ceremonies.





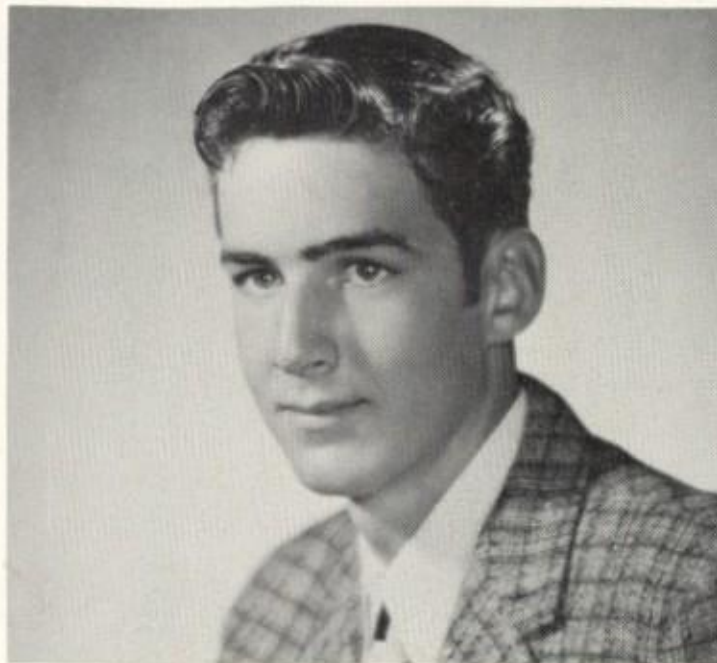
# Awards



DOLORES DENISON  
State Scholarship  
Standard Oil Scholarship  
P. T. A. Scholarship  
Bank of America Achievement Award  
Betty Crocker Award  
University of California Honor Student  
Salutatorian  
C.S.F. Gold Seal Bearer



MARLENE POLETTI  
Lions Club Scholarship  
Bank of America Achievement Award  
Sweepstakes Winner in Speech Department  
Valedictorian  
C.S.F. Gold Seal Bearer



HENRY CHURCH  
California Teachers Assn. Scholarship  
C. S. F. Gold Seal Bearer  
Band Award

GERRY HERGENROEDER  
Beauty School Scholarship



LORETTA BRINK  
Beauty School Scholarship  
C.S.F. Gold Seal Bearer





# Awards



MARGARET REA  
Odd Fellow-Rebekah Scholar-  
ship  
C.S.F. Gold Seal Bearer



WALTER BETSCHART  
Outstanding Sportsman Of the  
Year



CARRON WEVER  
Outstanding Sportswoman of  
the Year  
C.S.F. Gold Seal Bearer  
Senior Rating-Civil Service  
Typing



JUDY ARGANBRIGHT  
Senior Band Award  
C.S.F. Gold Seal Bearer



JOHN LOVE  
Bank of America Achievement  
Award  
C.S.F. Gold Seal Bearer



CAROLYN WHITE  
Outstanding Sportswoman of  
the Year  
C.S.F. Gold Seal Bearer



RONALD PARSONS  
Ripon Grange Scholarship  
State Farmer Award



CARMEN BURSE  
Bank of America Achievement  
Award  
C.S.F. Gold Seal Bearer



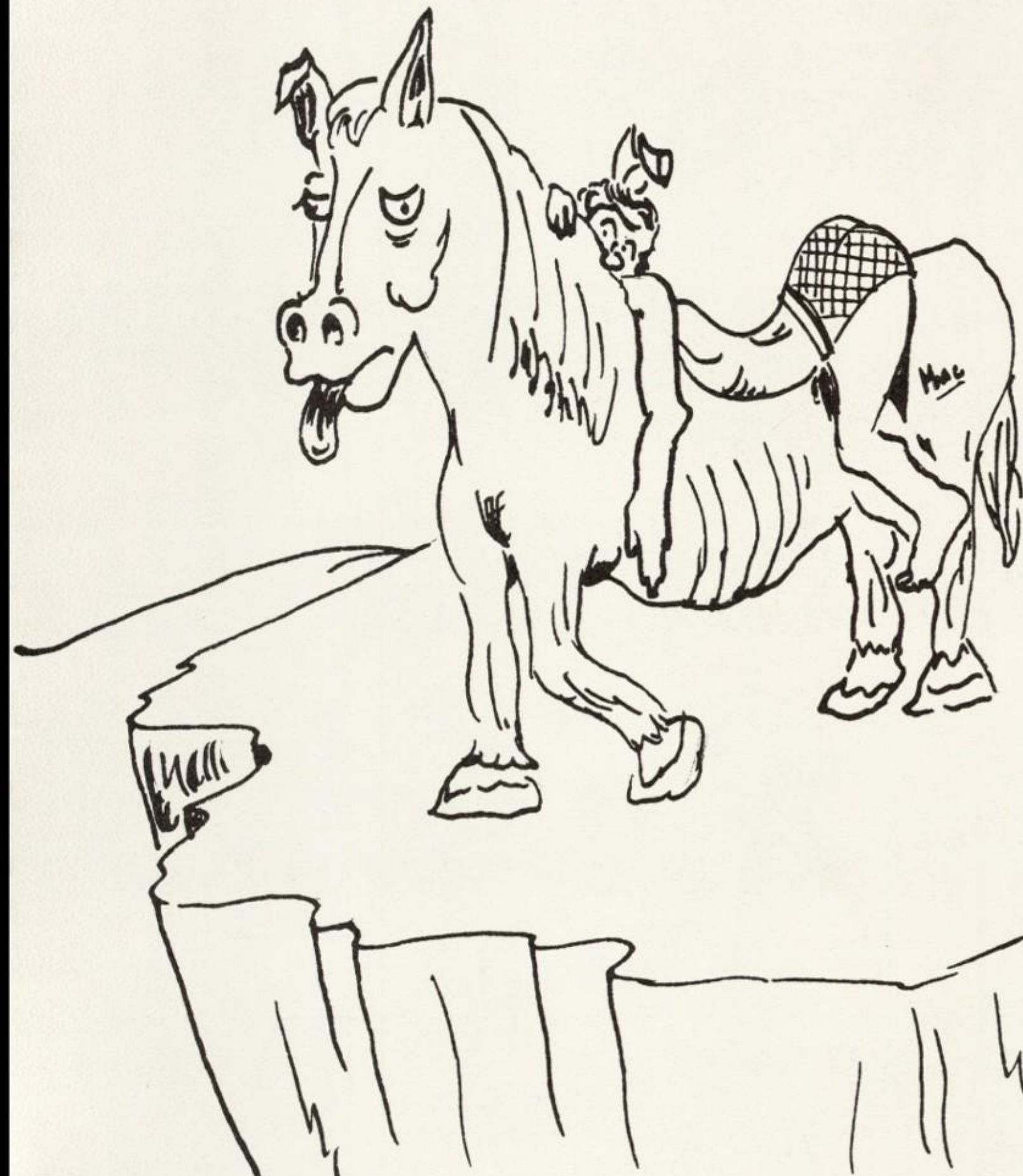
GARY FRANSCCELLA  
Outstanding Back of the Year  
Senior Art Award







# COMMENCEMENT



"The Horizon Wavers As We Climb"





The Processional



MISS MARLENE POLETTI  
Valedictorian, Main Speaker



Presentation of the Class of 1959 by MR. KINGERY



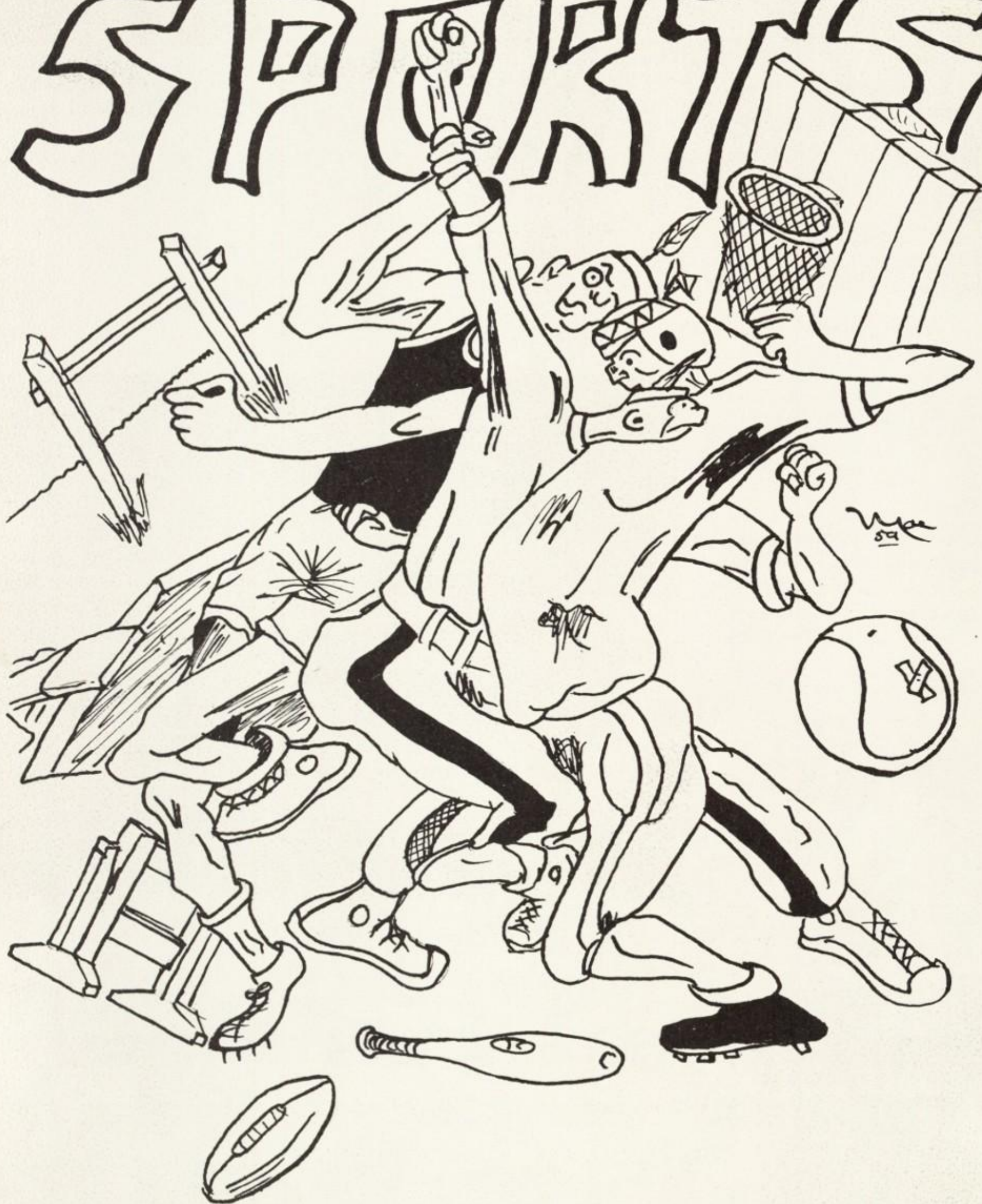
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MISS SHIRLEY LAGIER

Farewell Address  
by  
MISS NANCY BIANCHI

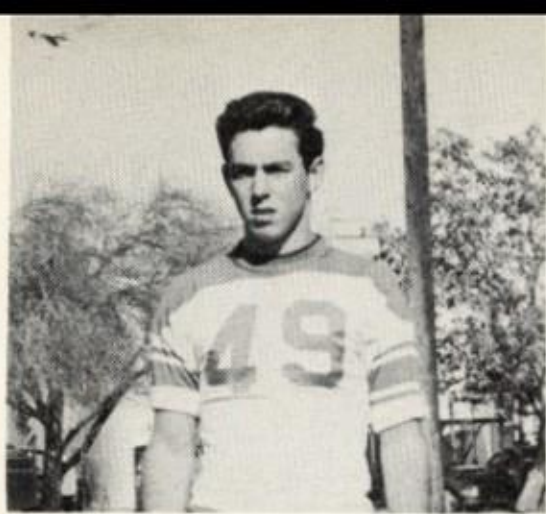




# SPORTS







All Southern League End  
BOB OLMO

## Team Builder



Outstanding Lineman  
RON NEPOTE



Top Scorer  
LARRY DAVIS



COACH WOOLVERTON

FRONT ROW: Dale Kuil, Gene Baker, Ron Nepote, Bud Sinarle, Rich Allen, Perry Pucheu, Joe Bruno. SECOND ROW: Henry Winters, Jim Weatherford, Larry Davis, Doug Hall, Junior Honorio, Daryll Vin-

celet, Walt Betschart. THIRD ROW: Bob Olmo, Bill Van Assen, Foe Grasso, Gary Franscella, Matt Bruno, Don Diggs, Tom Christensen. TOP ROW: Jim Eusebio, Manager; Coach Woolverton.

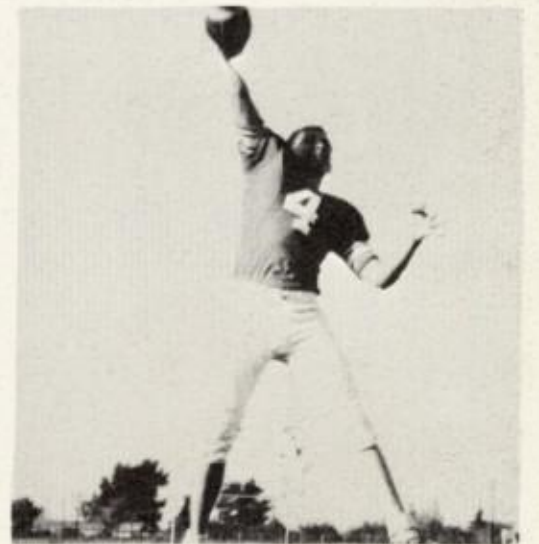






### RIPON FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Ripon ----- 25	Bret Harte ----- 0
Ripon ----- 0	Linden ----- 13
Ripon ----- 13	Mariposa ----- 6
Ripon ----- 6	Hilmar ----- 21
Ripon ----- 19	Hughson ----- 14
Ripon ----- 13	Gustine ----- 7
Ripon ----- 13	Denair ----- 6
Ripon ----- 13	Newman ----- 13
Ripon ----- 31	LeGrand ----- 0







"Hold on Walt--er, . . .



ABOVE: "Go, Junior Go!"  
BELOW: Larry grabs and gallops.







Davis off to the races



Honorio skirts left end



Franscella plows for more yardage



"Hold on, Bud!"



"Run, Bruno"



Olmo pulls down another pass



"Nice catch, Walt."



And there-goes Davis



Junior caught from behind



Hall gives somebody a ride



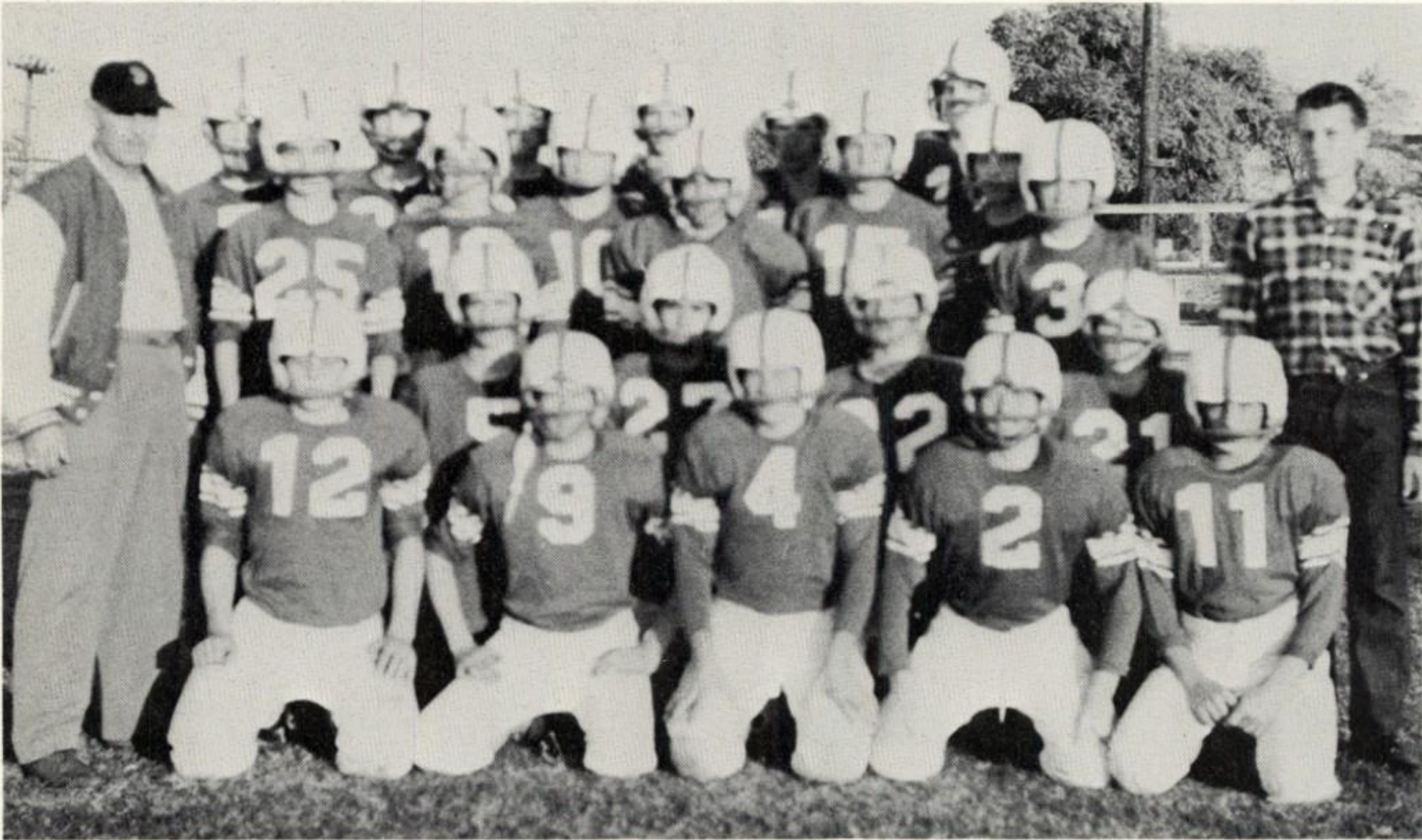
Betschart does a buttonhook



Almost intercepted

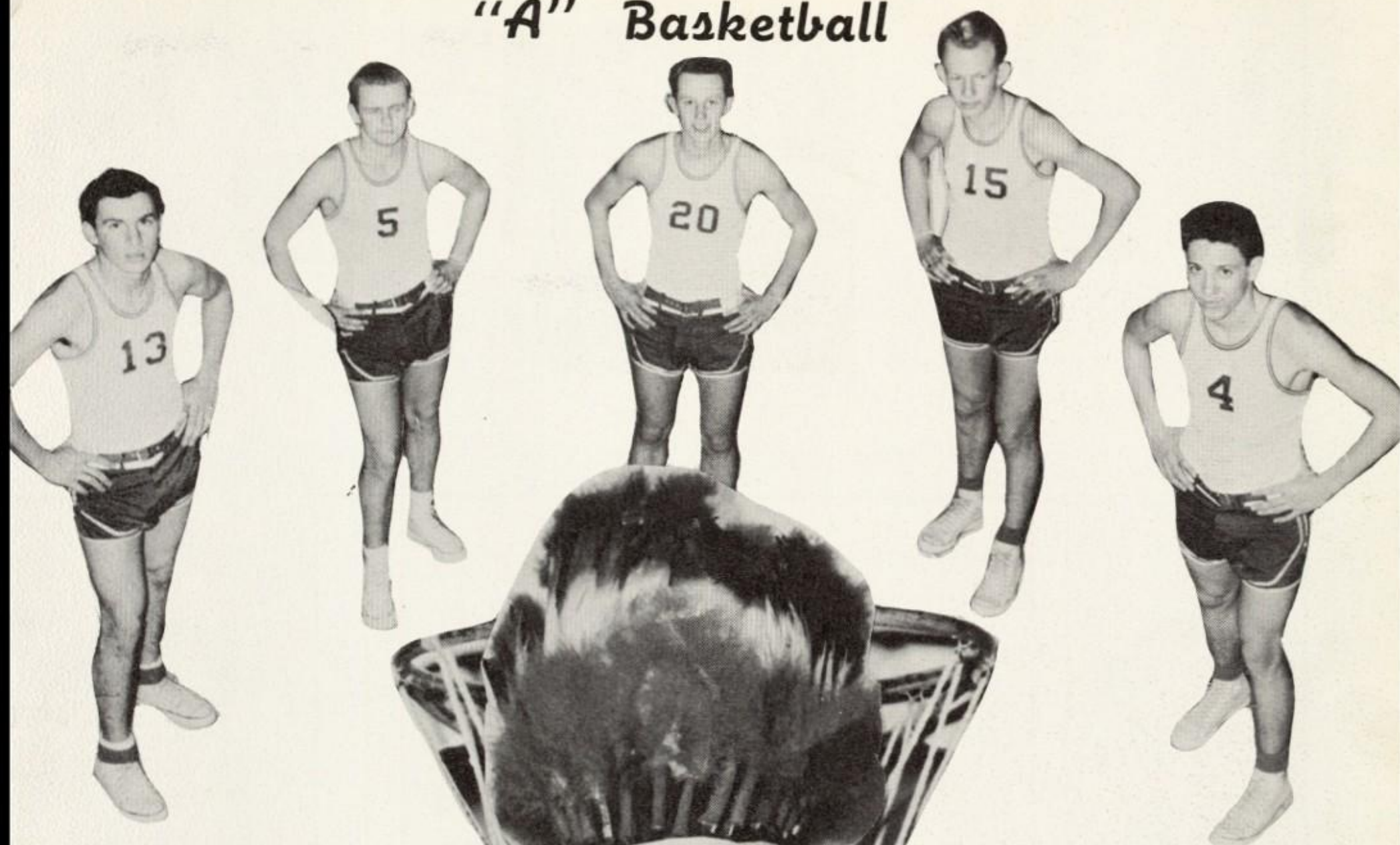


## *Junior Varsity*



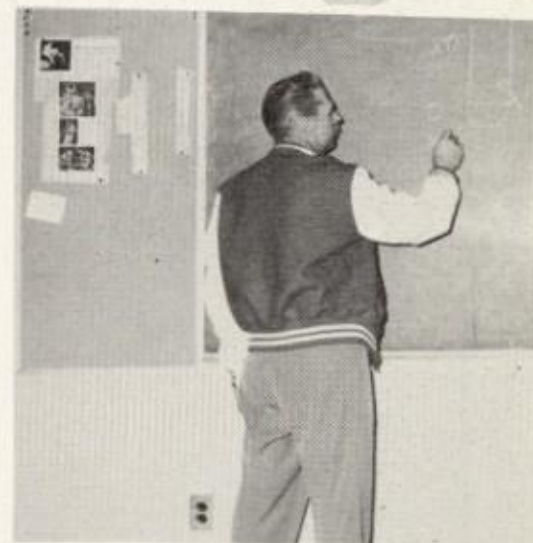


# "A" Basketball

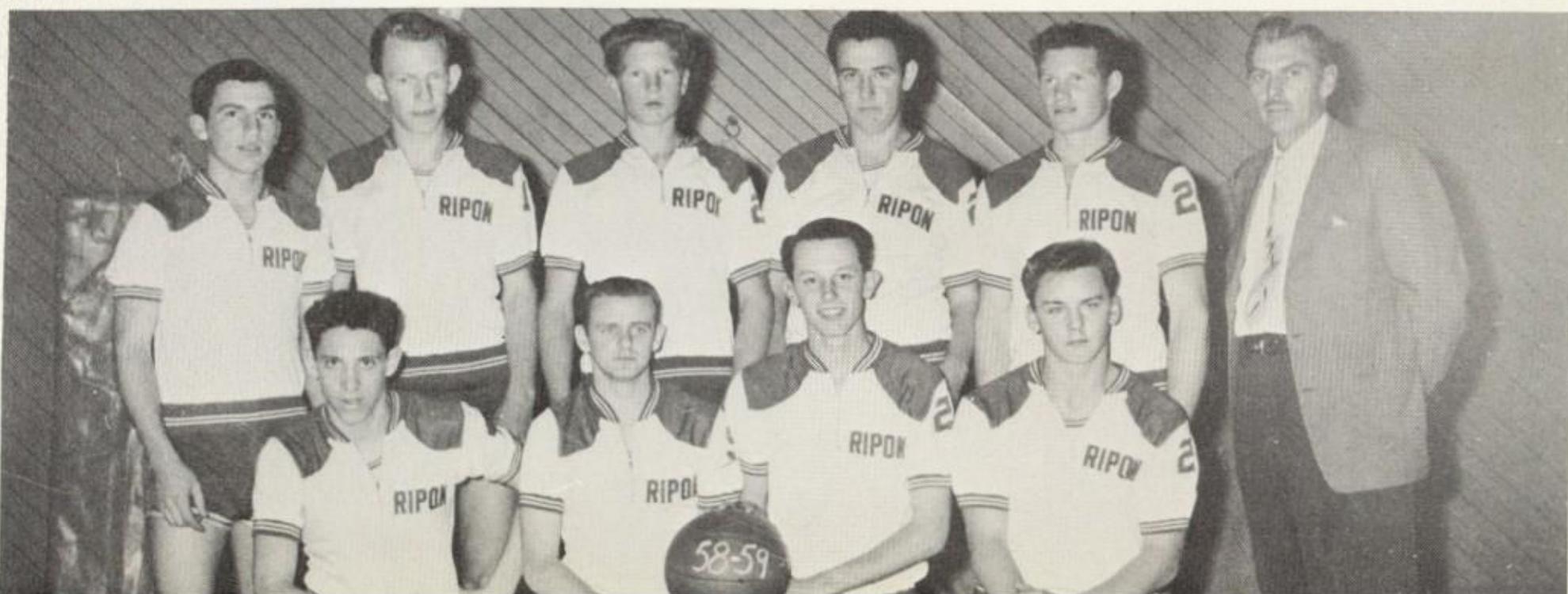


A Basketball

Coach Renz's first varsity basketball team had a very tough time during the casaba season. The team, originally planned for fastbreaking offense, found it difficult to execute because of insufficient rebounding. At the end of the season, Ripon found it had three men on the top ten league scorers but inadequate rebounding strength virtually killed Ripon's chances for a first division team.



FRONT ROW: D. Hall, H. Baron, J. Love, R. Sikkema. SECOND ROW: B. Sinarle, G. Carlson, H. Winters, K. Doom, W. Betschart, Coach Renz.





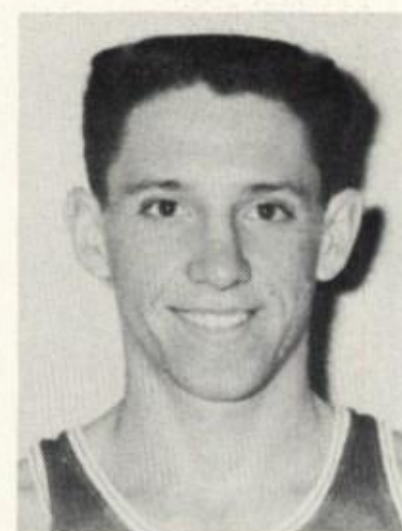


### SCORING STATISTICS

NAME	TOTAL PTS.	NAME	REBOUNDS
Doug Hall	208	John Love	152
John Loveson	207	Gary Carlson	115
Herman Baron	184	Bud Sinarle	71
Bud Sinarle	103	Walter Betschart	62
Gary Carlson	55	Bob Olmo	62
Walter Betschart	34	Doug Hall	22
Bob Olmo	22	Kennith Doom	14
Henry Winters	13	Herman Baron	13
Kennith Doom	7	Henry Winters	13
Randy Sikkema	4	Randy Sikkema	2
Steve Coutrakis	4	Steve Coutrakis	2



JOHN LOVE  
Top Rebounds



DOUG HALL  
Top Scorer





# "B" Basketball



FRONT ROW: D. Prater, M. White, T. Tornell, J. DeSelle, J. Grasso, B. Nepote, G. Thoms. TOP ROW: R. Tornell, R. Allen, L. White, Coach Woolverton, R. Colbert, P. Hale, L. Todd.

## SCORING STATISTICS

NAME	PTS.	NAME	PTS.
Larry Todd	219	Tom Tornell	18
Richard Colbert	174	Jim Benn	13
Richard Allen	84	Louis White	13
Larry Davis	73	David Prater	11
Junior Honorio	64	Paul Hale	11
Jim DeSelle	61	Mike Robbins	10
Joe Grasso	51	Gary Thoms	5
Ron Tornell	34		

LARRY TODD

RICHARD COLBERT

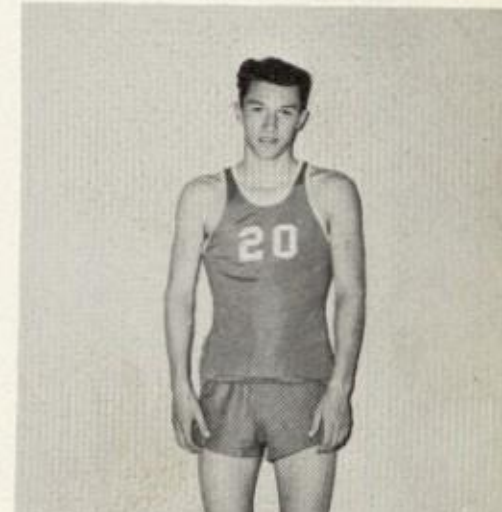
## B BASKETBALL

Under the guidance of Coach Woolverton, the Ripon High B team compiled a fine 10 wins-5 losses league record. Coach Woolverton had some fine material, including a good sized team and at the same time a very fast and hustling squad. There weren't many teams in the league that showed the hustle and spirit of the little Indians.

Defeating the Hughson Huskies B team in their second contest, and thus denying them a share of the basketball championship, was probably one of the teams greatest accomplishments.

Top Scorer

Top Rebounder





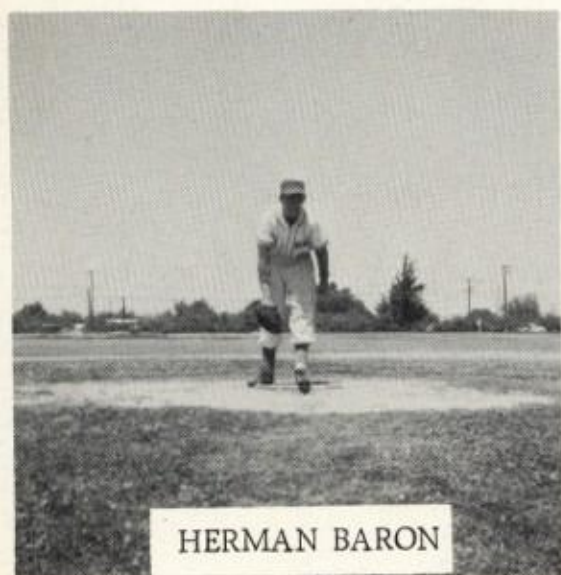
# Varsity Baseball



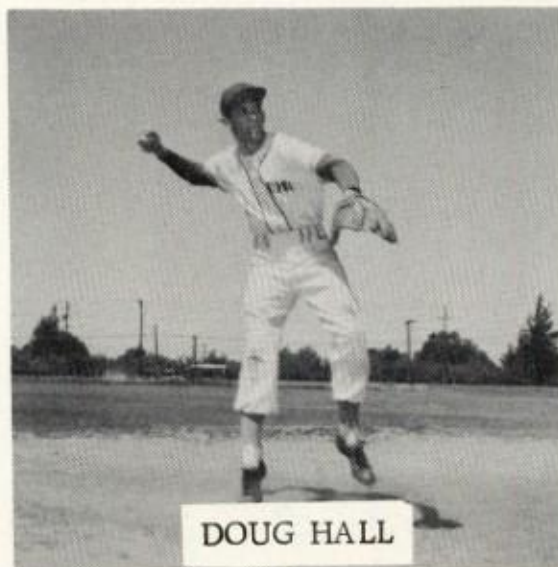
LEFT TO RIGHT: Coach Woolverton, Herman Baron, Doug Hall, John Love, Dave Johnston, Ken Doom, Dick Hageman, Ted Beacom, Walt Betschart, Larry Davis, Joe Grasso, Jim DeSelle.

## TEAM LEAGUE BATTING AVERAGES

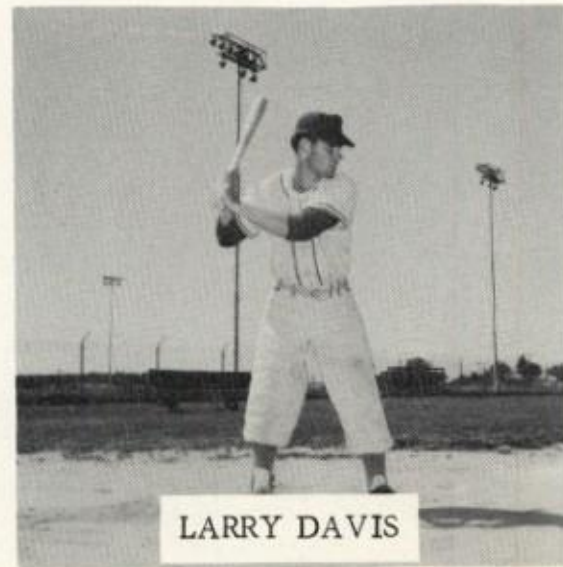
	A.B.	H.	AVE.		A.B.	H.	AVE.
D. Hall	17	6	.353	H. Baron	19	4	.214
D. Hageman	12	4	.333	J. Grasso	15	3	.200
L. Davis	20	6	.300	K. Doom	22	4	.181
R. Allen	17	5	.294	W. Betschart	14	2	.150
J. DeSelle	17	5	.294	D. Johnston	18	2	.111



HERMAN BARON



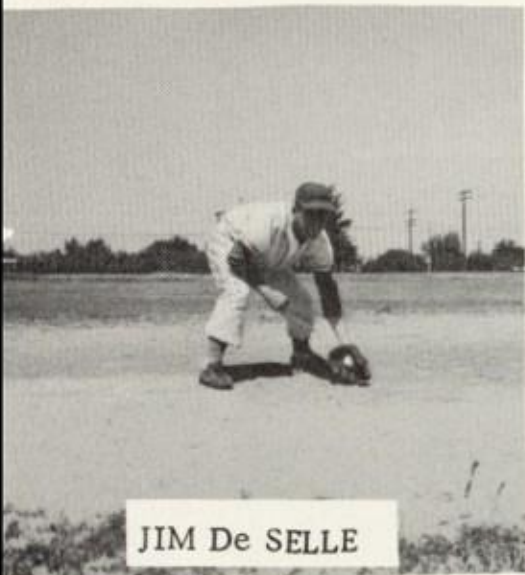
DOUG HALL



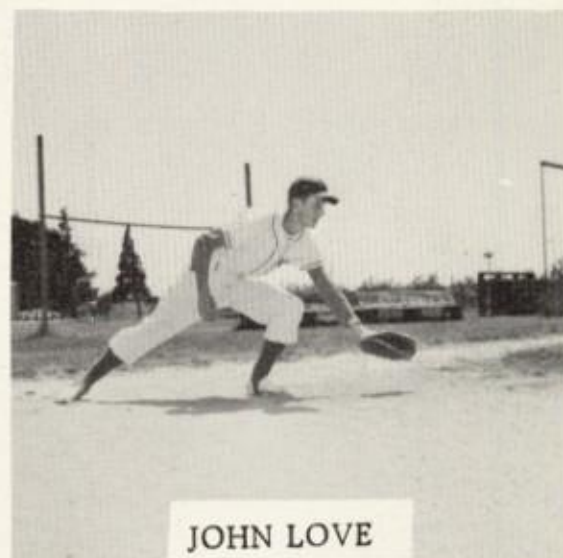
LARRY DAVIS



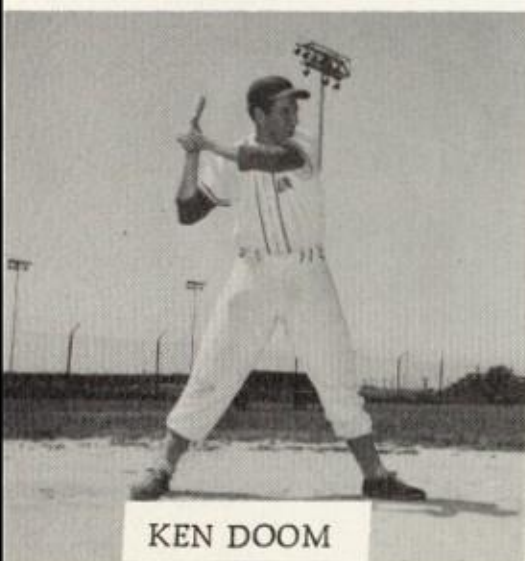
# Indians In Action



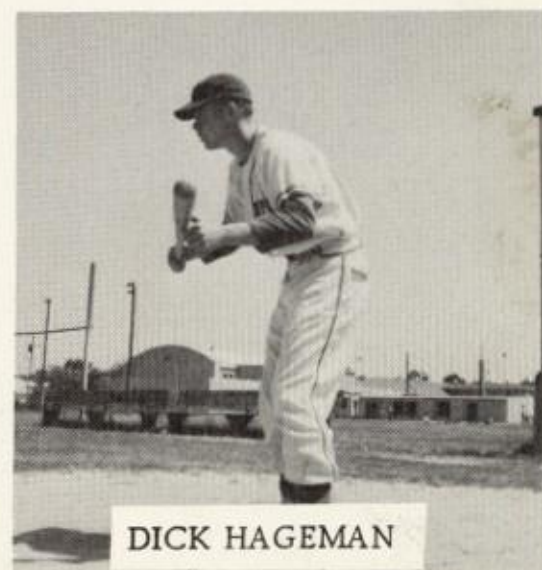
JIM De SELLE



JOHN LOVE



KEN DOOM



DICK HAGEMAN



# Track



Mac on the move



Carlson wins the grinding mile



"Stretch. . Marlon!"



TOP ROW: Coach Renz, G. Carlson, B. Sinarle, M. Stanley, W. Betschart, M. Helton, T. Beacom, R. MacLellan.  
SECOND ROW: J. Grasso, L. White, D. Prater, J. Weatherford, J. Franscella, R. Colbert, G. Day, J. Honorio, B. Nepote, P. Hale. FRONT ROW: J. Swartz, G. Weiker, G. Thoms, S. Cunningham, K. Carlson, M. Robbins, R. Lial, L. Todd, B. Alleman.

Walter rambles on



Honorio breaks a record



Sinarle adds 5 points

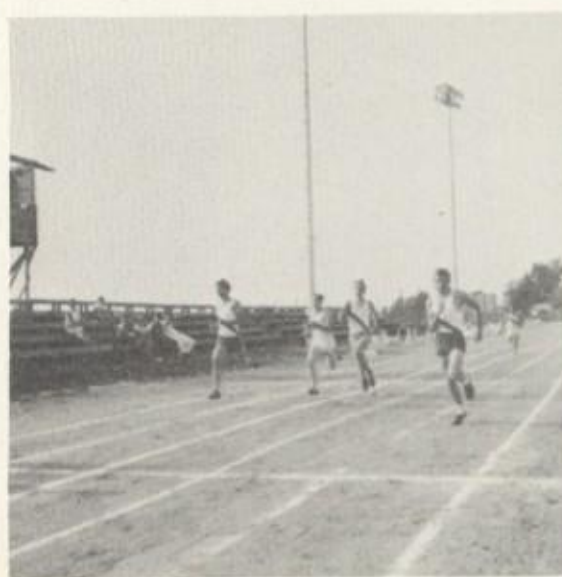




# C's — Undeclared Southern League Champions



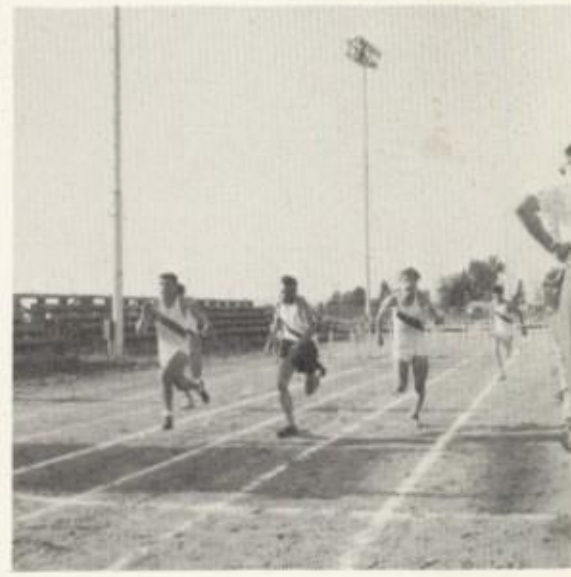
TOP ROW: Joe Grasso, Bob Nepote, Bob Klukas, Gary Thoms, Gordon Day, Larry Todd, Stan Cunningham. FRONT ROW: John Swartz, Bruce Alleman, Raymond Lial, Mike Robbins, Kenny Carlson, Gerald Weiker.



One, two, three punch



Day breaks another record



Alleman at the finish

Klukas, an easy victor



Bruce in the thick of it



Day anchors the relay team







BASKETBALL  
CHAMPIONS-  
Seniors

FRONT ROW: Marlene Poletti, Dolores Denison, Sue Lagier, Judy Arganbright.  
TOP ROW: Judy DeBoer, Loretta Brink, Sue White.

## *Girl's Sports*

FRONT ROW: Judy DeBoer, Loretta Brink, Sue White, Wilma Scheidegger. TOP ROW: Marlene Poletti, Carmen Burse, Dolores Denison, Sue Lagier, Judy Arganbright.

SPEEDAWAY  
CHAMPIONS-  
Seniors







# Basketball

## Freshmen

TOP ROW: Sharon McFall, Louise Rasmussen, Judy Siggins, Susan Franscella. SECOND ROW: Lois Hoffman, Paulette Ter Avest. FRONT ROW: Lucy Gavino, Norma Franzia, Denise Pucheu.

## Sophomores



TOP ROW: Linda Douma, Brenda Lindsey, Lois Eckhoff, Mary Franzia, Donna Douma, Irene Freitas. FRONT ROW: Despina Coutrakis, Susie Newell, Eileen Demichelis, Eileen Douma.

TOP ROW: Nancy Gates, Lorraine Todd, Carol Holmquist, Annette Slikker. SECOND ROW: Joanne Simas, Dolores Westeyn, Gloria Franscella. FRONT ROW: Barbara Franzia, Donna Zwart.

## Juniors







# *Speedaway*

## *Freshmen*

FRONT ROW: Lucy Gavino, Frances Franscella, Louise Rasmussen, Lois Hoffman, Paulette Ter Avest, Denise Pucheu. TOP ROW: Norma Franzia, Zoila Dominguez, Sharon McFall, Darlene Weidert, Janet Winters, Verla Zwart, Judy Siggins, Susan Franscella.

## *Sophomores*



FRONT ROW: Susie Newell, Linda Douma, Sharon Siggins, Despina Coutrakis, Eileen Douma, Eileen Demichelis. TOP ROW: Marie Gates, Lois Eckhoff, Marlys Vanden Heuvel, Mary Franzia, Hendrina Schilder, Carolyn Scott, Donna Douma, Irene Freitas.

FRONT ROW: Ann Nunes, Barbara Franzia, Donna Zwart, Dolores Westeyn, Annette Slikker, Shirley Rose, Ada Azevedo. TOP ROW: Lorraine Todd, Barbara White, Carol Holmquist, Nancy Gates, Sandi Stahlberg, Gloria Franscella, Jamalee Dunn.

## *Juniors*





# Cheerleaders



The Girls Doubling as Song-leaders



LEFT TO RIGHT: Linda Temm, Julie Smith, Head Cheerleader; Marlene Poletti, Shirley Rose, B Cheerleader; Susie Newell, B Cheerleader. NOT PICTURED: Lois Eckhoff, B Cheerleader.

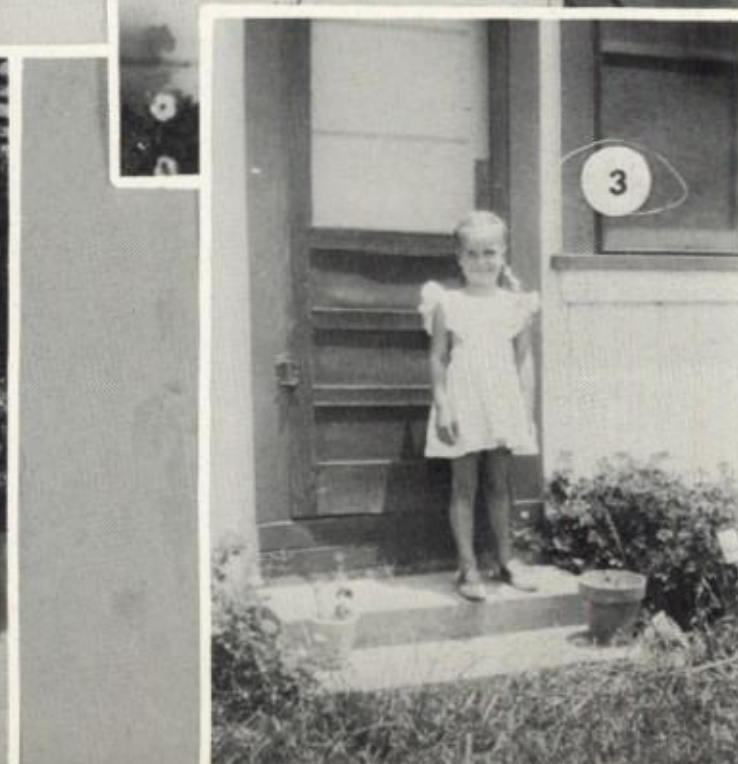
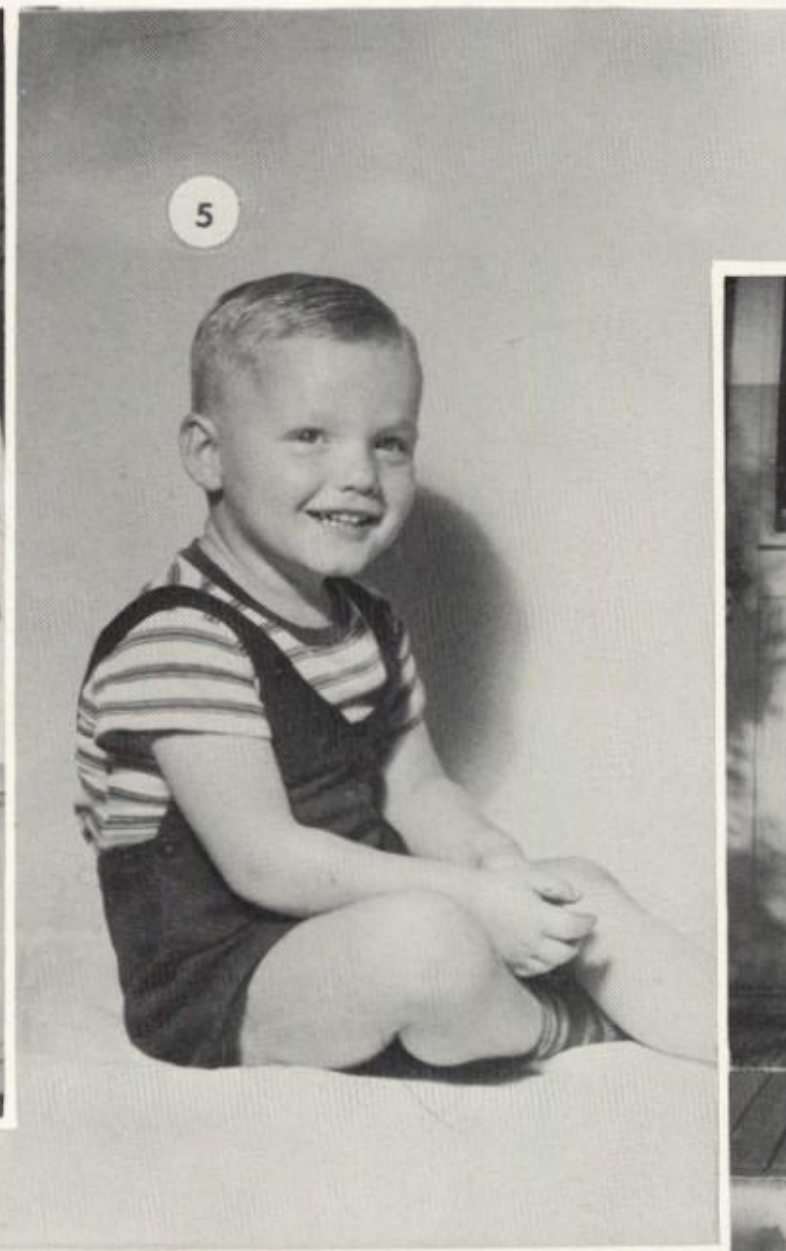
RIGHT: A rare moment-Marlene and Linda sitting still!







1. Ted Beacom
2. Nancy Bianchi
3. Wilma Scheidegger
4. Ronald MacLellan
5. Donald Diggs
6. Kathleen Nunes
7. Kathleen Rose
8. Arthur Clemens







1. Karin Postma
2. Walter Betschart
3. Herman Baron
4. Dorothy Gomes
5. Donald Hall
6. Marlon Helton

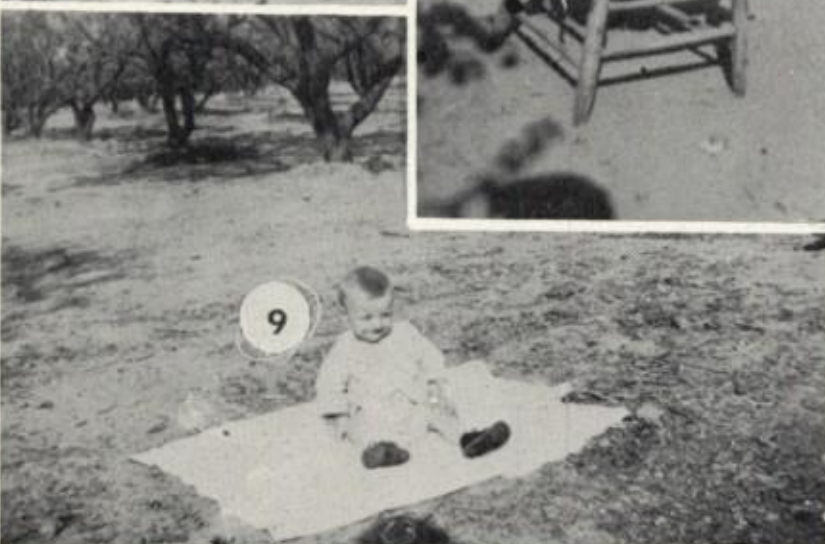
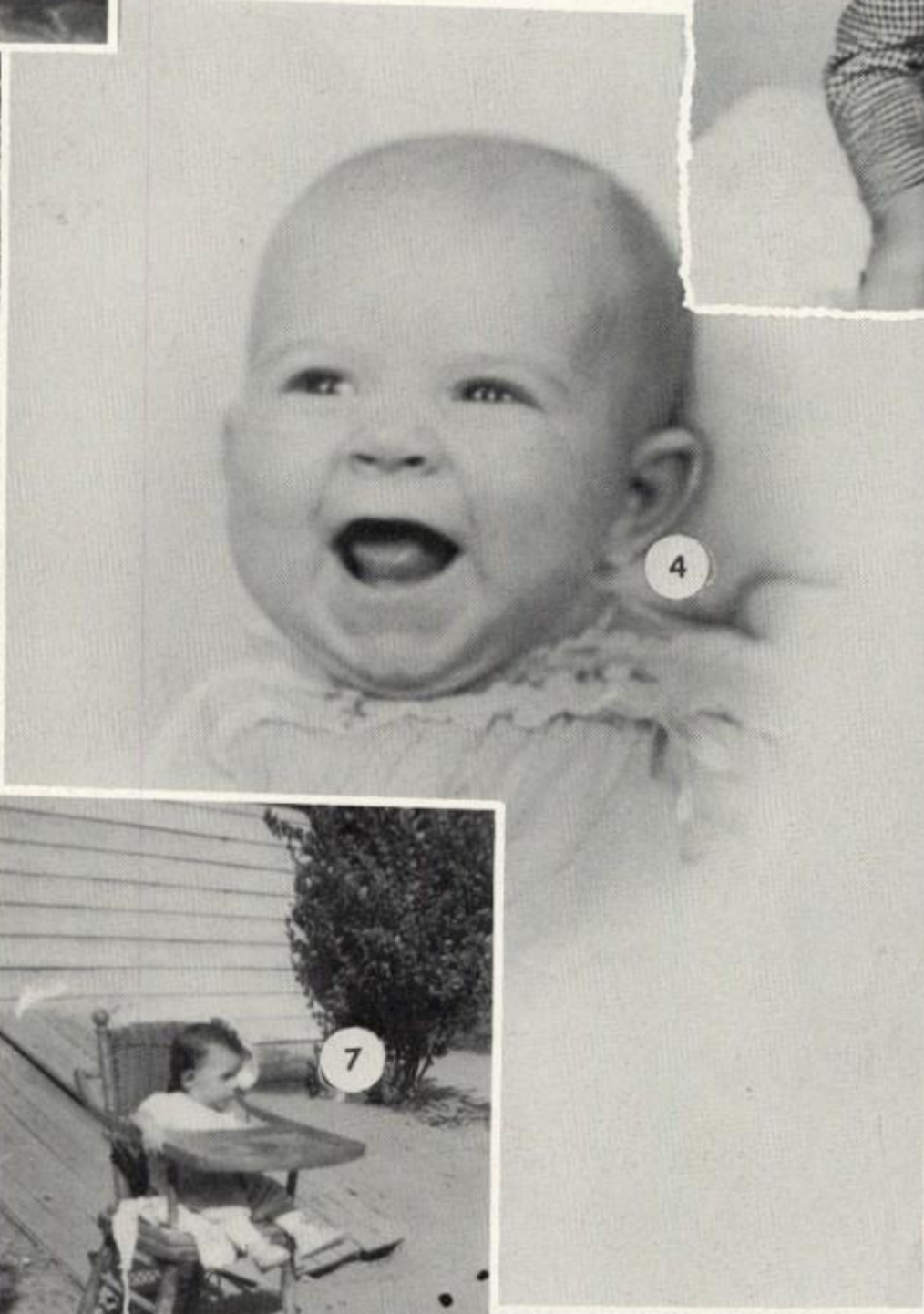
7. Alice Tederman
8. Carolyn Sue White
9. Robert Dyer
10. Gilbert Siggins
11. Kenneth Doom







1. Dorothy Bumgarner
2. John Love
3. Dolores Denison
4. Johanne Rasmussen
5. Edna Harden
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8. Gary Franscella
9. Leonard Von Gunten
10. Shirley Lagier
11. Carolyn Spurgeon







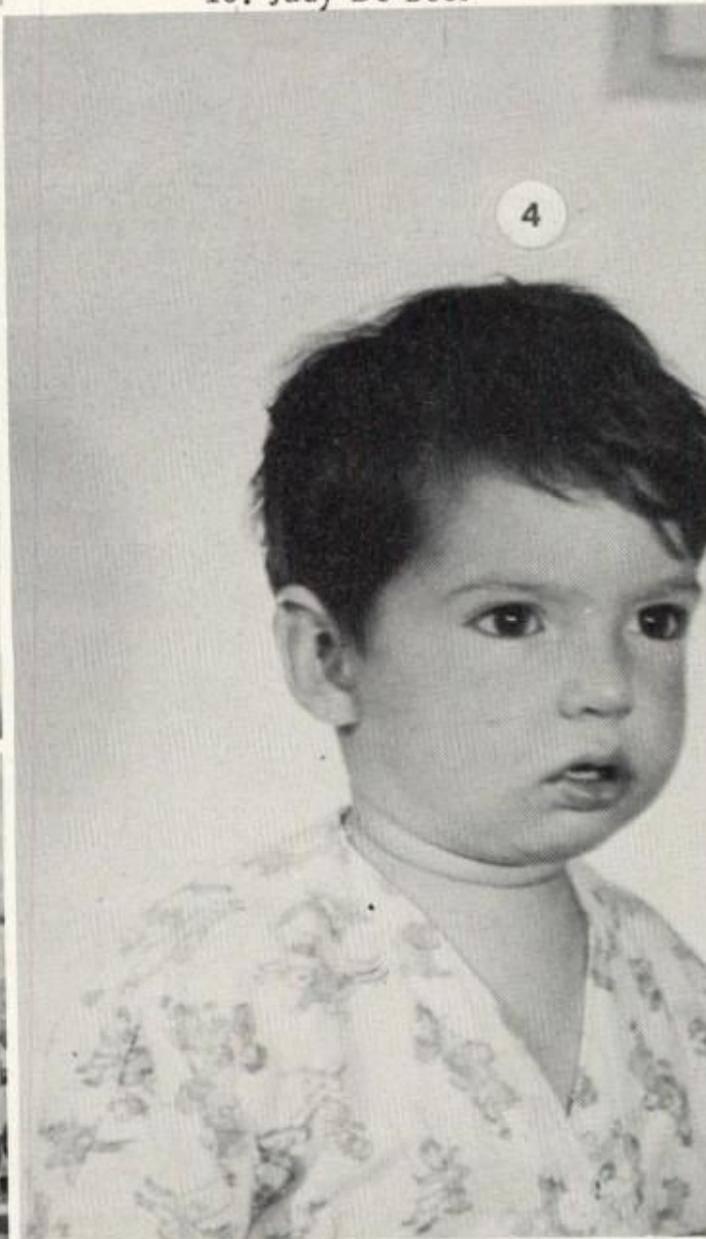
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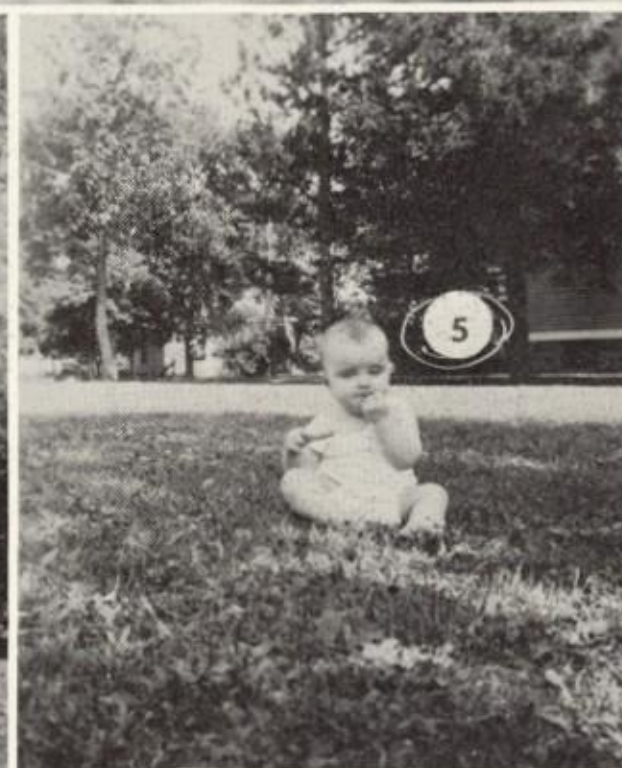
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10. Dick Hageman
11. Roy Robnett
12. Rosemary Morris
13. Judy Gruber
14. Steve Coutrakis
15. Carron Wever
16. Judy De Boer







1. Judy Arganbright
2. Robert Keys
3. Larry Mohler
4. Linda Temn
5. Myrna Fredriks
6. Jim DeSelle
7. Bill Robbins
8. Jeanette Bianchi







# **Principal's Message**

Congratulations to the Class of 1959!

May you continue through life at work and at play with the high standards of achievement you set and established while at good old Ripon High.

It is my sincere hope we at Ripon High have helped you along to maturity by fitting you for a happy effective mode of living.

Congratulations to the Mission Staff for their untiring efforts. Congratulations, also, to the Class of '59 for pioneering a late printing of the Mission in order that the complete year might be successfully recorded for your memories.

**Otis M. Kingery**



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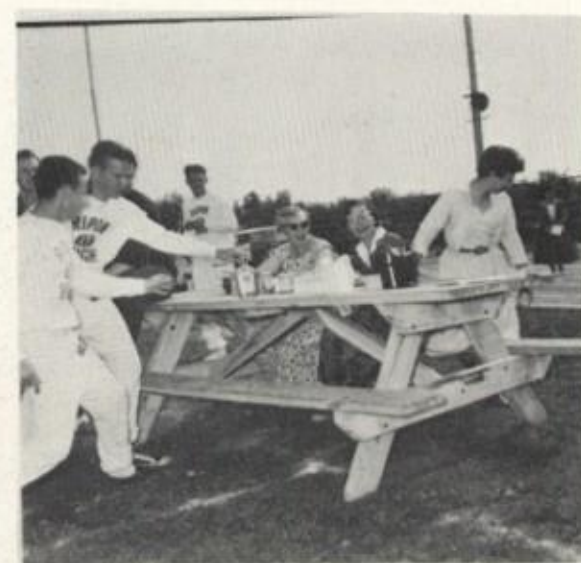
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den Dulk Warehouse & Feed  
Congratulations  
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Class of "59"

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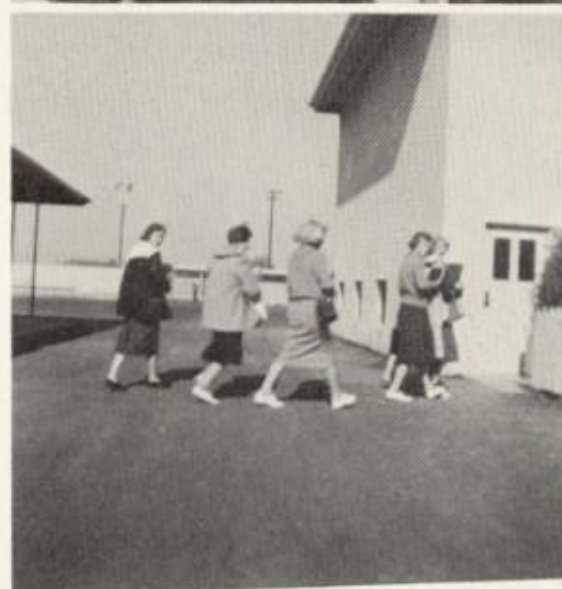
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Only Top Quality  
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Congratulations to the  
Graduating Class  
Meynberg Milk Products Co.





# Senior Memories

Oh, for the good old days. Remember the cold football games when we yelled our heads off? We almost screamed our way to the championship. If our football heroes didn't realize it, our throats sure did the next day. The Homecoming parade, the freezing game, where only the foolish dared to venture with out the soothing protection of long-johns. These and many more fond memories high-lighted our fall in dear old R.U.H.S.

The main high-light of the fall for we Seniors was, of course, the Senior Hay-ride, where everyone enjoyed the balmy breeze. A few of the girls won't forget bobbing for apples either. Let's not mention names.

Along came Winter, and things settled down a little at the old pent-house. The A's seemed to be losing their Basketball games with surprising regularity and things seemed to really slack off. Then along came the dance bands and Ted Paine's Record Hop. Within no time things were jumping again and the Irate Rooter buried his ugly head. The A's started winning again and the cheering section seemed to teem with spirit.

Then came Spring, Ah lovely Spring, the flowers peeked their tender heads from beneath the once dormant soil and there was the fragrant scent of almond blossoms in the air. Along came the many baseball games, track meets, and all the school activities that seem to wait for Spring to come out of hiding. The Band and Glee Festivals, the really important Speech tournaments, The Ag trips, and then came the most important events of the year. The Senior Dinner where the music was soft, the lights were low, and the steaks were rare. The Senior Ditch Day, with its boisterous wind, its lovely gray clouds, and its warm temperature. Baccalaureate and commencement practice seemed to slip by unnoticed except for the swimming and eating that accompanied it.

Then came the big night. There we were all sixty-one of us. The foot-lights glaring at us, the hungry crowd waiting in anticipation for the moment when their relative or friend's name will be called off. Then all of a sudden out of a clear blue sky something happened! There was a miscount in the third row and two people were sitting on one chair! Then to top that off, a chair slipped through the riser and a very surprised young lady discovered she was lying flat on her back. We all survived though, only to run the gamut of receptions and swims at the Reservoir the next morning.

Who says the class of '59 didn't do anything this year?



**RICHARD ALLEMAN**

Baseball 2  
 Congress 1  
 F.F.A. 1,2,3,4  
 Football 1,3  
 Glee 1  
 Track 3,4  
 F.F.A. Basketball 1,2,3,4

**JUDY ARGANBRIGHT**

Aquacade 1,2  
 Band 1,2,3,4  
 Cabinet 4  
 Commercial Club 2,3,4  
 Court 4  
 C.S.F. 1,2,3,4  
 G.A.A. 2,3,4  
 Glee 1,2,3,4  
 Indianettes 2,3,4  
 Spanish Club 2,3  
 Y.F.C. 1,2,3,4  
 Brass Ensemble 3,4

**HERMAN BARON**

Baseball 2,3,4  
 Basketball 2,3,4  
 Block "R"  
 Spanish Club 3  
 Swimming 1  
 Track 1

**TED BEACOM**

Transfer Sophomore Year  
 Art Club 2,3,4  
 Baseball 4  
 Commercial Club 2  
 C.S.F. 2,3,4  
 Glee 4  
 Mission 4  
 Cabinet 4  
 Spanish Club 2,3,4  
 Congress 4  
 Warwhoop 4  
 Barber Boys 4  
 Mission Editor 4  
 Art Club President 4

**JEANETTE BIANCHI**

Commercial Club 2,3,4  
 F.H.A. 1,2  
 Glee 1,2,4  
 Rally 1  
 Spanish Club 3  
 Speech 1

**NANCY BIANCHI**

Art 2  
 Band 1,2,3,4  
 Commercial Club 2,3,4  
 Congress 1,2,3,4  
 Court 2,3,4  
 C.S.F. 2,3,4  
 F.H.A. 1,2  
 G.A.A. 1,2,3,4  
 Rally 1  
 Speech 1,2,3,4  
 Majorette 2,3,4  
 Girls' League Ex. 4  
 Commercial Club Sec. 2  
 C.S.F. President 4.

**WALTER BETSCHART**

Band 1  
 Baseball 1,2,3,4  
 Block "R" 3,4

**F.F.A. 1,2,3,4**

Football 3,4  
 Track 2,3,4  
 Basketball 3,4  
 F.F.A. Basketball 2  
 State Farmer Degree 3  
 Class Officer 2,3,4  
 F.F.A. President 4

**LORETTA BRINK**

Commercial Club 1,2,3,4  
 C.S.F. 2,4  
 F.H.A. 1,2,3,4  
 G.A.A. 2,3,4  
 Glee 2,3,4  
 Indianettes 3,4  
 Spanish Club 2  
 Girls' League Ex. 4

**CHARLES BROOKS**

Band 1  
 Commercial Club 2  
 F.F.A. 1,2,3,4  
 Football 1,3  
 Spanish Club 2  
 F.F.A. Basketball 1,2,3

**DOROTHY BUMGARNER**

Commercial Club 2,4  
 F.H.A. 1,2,3,4  
 Library 3,4  
 Spanish Club 2

**CARMEN BURSE**

Art 3  
 Commercial Club 2,3,4  
 Congress 3  
 F.H.A. 1,2,3,4  
 G.A.A. 2,4  
 Glee 2  
 Rally 3,4

**GARY CARLSON**

Band 1,2,3,4  
 Basketball 2,3,4  
 Commercial Club 3  
 Glee 4  
 Spanish Club 2  
 Track 4  
 Block "R" 3,4

**TOM CHRISTENSEN**

Block "R" 1,2,3,4  
 F.F.A. 4  
 Football 1,2,3,4  
 Spanish Club 2

**HENRY CHURCH**

Band 1,2,3,4  
 Congress 4  
 Court 4  
 C.S.F. 2,3,4  
 Glee 4  
 Spanish Club 2,3  
 Speech 3,4  
 Y.F.C. 1,2,3,4  
 Class Officer 4  
 Drum Major 4  
 Barber Boys 4

**ARTHUR CLEMENS**

Band 1,2,3,4  
 Baseball 1  
 Basketball 1,3  
 Commercial Club 3  
 Y.F.C. 3,4

**STEVE COUTRAKIS**

Art 2  
 Basketball 1,2,3,4  
 F.F.A. 2,4  
 Speech 2

**JUDI DEBOER**

Band 1,2,3,4  
 Commercial Club 2,3,4  
 C.S.F. 3  
 F.H.A. 1,2,3,4  
 G.A.A. 2,3,4  
 Spanish Club 2  
 Aquacade 1  
 Congress 4

**JIM DESELLE**

Band 1,2,3,4  
 Basketball 1,3,4  
 Block "R" 1,4  
 Commercial Club 2  
 Spanish Club 2  
 Class Officer 2,4

**DELORES DENISON**

Cabinet 4  
 Commercial Club 2  
 Congress 2  
 C.S.F. 1,2,3,4  
 F.H.A. 1  
 G.A.A. 2,3,4  
 Library 2,3,4  
 Mission 4  
 Rally 1,2,3,4  
 School Play 2  
 Spanish Club 2,3  
 Speech 2,3,4  
 Warwhoop 2,3,4  
 Asilomar 3  
 Student Patrol 2,3  
 Girls' League Ex. 3

**DON DIGGS**

Art 2,4  
 Block "R" 1,2,3,4  
 F.F.A. 1,2  
 Football 1,2,3,4  
 Speech 1,2,3,4  
 Swimming 3  
 Track 1  
 Commercial Club 2,3

**KENNITH DOOM**

Art 3  
 Baseball 2,3,4  
 Block "R" 4  
 F.F.A. 1,2,3,4  
 Basketball 4

**ROBERT DYER**

Transfer from Oakdale,  
 Senior year

**GARY FRANSCELLA**

Art 2,3,4  
 Band 1  
 Baseball 1  
 Block "R" 1,2,3,4  
 Congress 1,2,3  
 F.F.A. 1,2,3,4  
 Football 1,2,3,4  
 Glee 4  
 Track 2,3,4  
 Class Vice-President 1  
 Block "R" President 4  
 F.F.A. President 4

**Glee Club President 4****MYRNA FREDRIKS**

Band 1,2  
 Commercial Club 3,4  
 F.H.A. 1,2,4  
 Glee 2,3,4  
 Library 2  
 Mission 4  
 Spanish Club 2  
 Warwhoop 4

**DOROTHY GOMES**

Aquacade 1,2  
 Commercial Club 2,3,4  
 F.F.A. 1,2,3,4  
 Glee 2,3,4  
 Library 3  
 Mission 4  
 Nursing Club 3,4  
 Rally 1,2,3,4  
 Spanish Club 2,4  
 Warwhoop 4  
 Future Nurses Vice-President 4  
 Active Rally Vice-President 4  
 F.H.A. Treasurer 4  
 Art Club 4

**JUDY GRUBER**

Aquacade 2  
 Commercial Club 2,3,4  
 F.H.A. 1,2,3  
 Glee 1,4  
 Library 2,3  
 Rally 2,3,4  
 Rally President 4

**LEONARD VON GUNTEN**

Art 1,2  
 Commercial Club 2  
 Spanish Club 1

**DICK HAGEMAN**

Baseball 2,4  
 F.F.A. 1,2,3,4  
 Football 3  
 Track 3,4

**DON HALL**

Transfer from Hawaii  
 Art Club 4  
 Vice-President Art Club 4

**EDNA HARDEN**

Commercial Club 3  
 Congress 3,4  
 F.H.A. 1,2,3,4  
 Glee 1,2,3,4  
 Library 2,3  
 Rally 2,3,4  
 Senior Play 3

**MARLON HELTON**

Art Club 4  
 Congress 4  
 Mission 4  
 Track 4  
 Warwhoop 4  
 Photographer for Mission 4

**GERRY HERGENROEDER**

Commercial Club 2,3,4  
 F.H.A. 1,2,3,4  
 Glee 1,2,3,4



Indianettes 3,4  
Mission 4  
Warwhoop 4  
Congress 4  
Spanish Club 2

JO ANN JENNINGS

Band 1  
Cabinet 4  
Commercial Club 2,3,4  
Congress 4  
C.S.F. 2,3  
Glee 1,2  
Library 2,3,4  
Mission 4  
Warwhoop 2,4  
Court 4  
Nursing Club 4  
Senior Play 2

JEANIE JORGENSEN

Band 1,2,3,4  
C.S.F. 1,2,3,4  
F.H.A. 1,2,3,4  
Glee 2,4  
Rally 1  
Spanish Club 3  
Asilomar  
Aquacade 2  
F.H.A. Secretary 2  
F.H.A. President 3

ROBERT KEYES

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4

MARY LOU KUIL

Commercial Club 2,3,4  
F.H.A. 1,2,3,4  
Glee 2,4  
Library 4  
Rally 1,2,3,4  
Spanish Club 2  
Warwhoop 3  
Nursing Club 4

SHIRLEY LAGIER

Band 1,2,3,4  
Commercial Club 2,3,4  
Congress 4  
G.A.A. 1,2,3,4  
Senior Play 3  
Spanish Club 2,3,4  
Speech 2,3,4

RON MAC LELLAN

Block "R" 3,4  
Cabinet 4  
Football 1  
Senior Play 2,3  
Spanish Club 2,3  
Track 1,2,3,4  
Student Body President 4

JOHN LOVE

Band 1,2,3,4  
Baseball 4  
Basketball 1,2,3,4  
Block "R" 4  
Cabinet 4  
Commercial Club 2  
Congress 3,4  
Court 4  
C.S.F. 1,2,3,4  
Spanish Club 3,4  
Swimming 2,4  
Track 3  
Boys' State 3

Brass Ensemble 3,4  
Chief Justice 4  
Bank of America Award 4  
Class Officer 2,3

DONALD MILLER

Transfer  
Junior Varsity Baseball

LARRY MOHLER

Football 3  
Glee 1,4  
Spanish Club 2,3  
Barber Boys 4

ROSEMARY MORRIS

Band 1,2,3,4  
Commercial Club 2,3,4  
Congress 2,4  
F.H.A. 1,2,3,4  
G.A.A. 3,4  
Glee 2,4  
Girls' League Officer 4  
Asilomar 3  
F.H.A. Vice-President 3,4

KATHLEEN NUNES

Aquacade 1,2  
Band 1,2,3,4  
Cabinet 3,4  
Commercial Club 2  
Congress 2,3,4  
Court 3  
C.S.F. 1,2,3,4  
F.H.A. 1  
G.A.A. 2,3,4  
Glee 3  
Rally 1,2  
Spanish Club 2,4  
Speech 2,3

BILL PALMAYMESA

Band 1  
Congress 4  
Glee 4  
Orchestra 3  
Spanish Club 2,3  
Swimming 1,2,4

RONALD PARSONS

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4  
Football 1  
F.F.A. Sentinel 3  
F.F.A. President 4

MARLENE POLETTI

Aquacade 1,2  
Art 3  
Commercial Club  
Congress 1,2,3,4  
Court 4  
C.S.F. 1,2,3,4  
G.A.A. 1,2,3,4  
Glee 1,2,3,4  
Indianettes 1,2,3,4  
Mission 4  
Rally 1,2,3,4  
Spanish Club 2,3,4  
Speech 1,2,3,4  
Swimming 1,2,3,4  
Warwhoop 4  
Girls' State 3  
Varsity Cheerleader 2,3,4  
Student Control 1,2  
President pro tem of

Congress 4  
Art Club Secretary -  
Treasurer 2

KARIN POSTMA

Commercial Club 2  
F.H.A. 1,2  
Glee 2,3,4  
Rally 1,2  
Spanish Club 2

JOHANNE RASMUSSEN

Aquacade 2  
Art Club 4  
Band 1,2,3,4  
Cabinet 2,3  
Commercial Club 2  
Court 4  
C.S.F. 1,2,3,4  
G.A.A. 4  
Nursing 3,4  
Orchestra 3  
Rally 1,2,3,4  
Spanish Club 2,3  
Speech 2,3  
Swimming 1,2

MARGARET REA

Aquacade 2,3  
Band 1,2,3,4  
Cabinet 4  
Commercial Club 2  
Congress 2,3,4  
C.S.F. 1,2,3,4  
G.A.A. 1,2,3,4  
Nursing 4  
Rally 1,2  
Speech 1  
Majorette 3,4

BILL ROBBINS

Band 1,2,3,4  
Basketball 1,2  
Debate 2,3  
Swimming 1,2  
Football 3

KATHLEEN ROSE

Commercial Club 1,4  
C.S.F. 2  
F.H.A. 1,2,3,4  
Glee 2,3,4  
Rally 1  
Spanish Club 2,3  
Warwhoop 4  
Asilomar 3  
Girls' League Ex. 4  
Congress 4  
Vice-President Girls' League Ex. 4  
F.H.A. Secretary 3,4

WILMA SCHEIDEGGER

Transfer  
Commercial Club 3,4  
G.A.A. 3,4  
Commercial Club President 4

GILBERT SIGGINS

Football 2,3  
Spanish Club 2  
Warwhoop 4

CAROLYN SPURGEON

Band 1,2,3  
Commercial Club 2,3,4  
F.H.A. 1,2,3,4

G.A.A. 3,4  
Glee 2  
Rally 1,2,3,4  
Spanish Club 2  
Warwhoop 4

ALICE TEDERMAN

Aquacade 1  
Band 1  
Commercial Club 2,3  
Congress 4  
C.S.F. 3,4  
F.H.A. 1,2,4  
G.A.A. 3,4  
Glee 2,3,4  
Mission 4  
Nursing 3,4  
Rally 3,4  
Spanish Club 2  
Warwhoop 4  
Student Control 3,4  
Court 3  
Library 3

LINDA TEMM

Aquacade 1,2  
Art Club 2,4  
Commercial Club 3  
F.H.A. 1,2,3,4  
Glee 2,3,4  
Mission 4  
Warwhoop 4  
Varsity Cheerleader 4  
Rally 4  
Art Club Secretary -  
Treasurer 4  
Rally Club Secretary 4

JOHN THOMA

Baseball 3,4  
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4

ROSEMARY VIEIRA

Commercial Club 2,3,4  
Congress 2,3,4  
Library 2,3  
Mission 4  
Warwhoop 4  
Student Control  
F.H.A. 1  
Spanish Club 2

GARY VISS

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4  
Football 3  
Track 2,3,4

BOB VISS

Basketball 1,2  
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4  
Football 3  
Track 2,3

CARRON WEVER

Aquacade 2  
Band 1,2,3,4  
Commercial Club 2,3,4  
Congress 2,3,4  
C.S.F. 1,2,3,4  
F.H.A. 1,2,3  
G.A.A. 1,2,3,4  
Glee 2,3  
Spanish Club 2  
G.A.A. Vice-President  
G.A.A. President 4  
Commercial Club Secretary 4



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